

THIRTY ARE KILLED IN POWDER BLAST

Four Tons of Black Powder at Du Pont Plant Near Wilmington Explode

SEVERAL FATALLY HURT

Pieces of Flesh or Parts of Clothing Hanging from Every Tree That Was Left Standing

NEARLY ALL ARE YOUNG MEN

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 30.—Thirty workmen were killed and several fatally injured today in an explosion of about four tons of black powder at the Upper Hagley yard of the DuPont Powder company.

According to a statement issued by the company the origin "will probably always remain a mystery." Nevertheless a severe investigation has been instituted. There was the usual rumor afloat that some outside agency may have caused the explosion, but DuPont officials said tonight there was not a shred of evidence upon which to hang any theory.

Nearly all the victims were young men between 16 and 21 years of age. The greater number of them lived in and about Wilmington. The explosion occurred in a packing house where black powder pellets are prepared for shipment. These pellets are used for rifles and other purposes, much of the powder, if not all being shipped to the warping mills. The packing house was situated in a valley along the historic Brandywine Creek and was one of a large group of small buildings which make up the Upper Hagley plant of the DuPont company about three miles northwest of the city. It was 1:30 o'clock when a slight explosion was heard in the neighborhood followed by another a trifle heavier which was succeeded by a terrific blast which not only rocked the valley but shook and started Wilmington. Workmen ran from every building and shack in the wide area which the company's plant covers. A great column of smoke rose from the spot where the packing house stood and when the cloud disappeared there was only a big hole left in the ground.

Workmen who survived the blast said the scene was one of horror. From every tree left standing in the neighborhood there was hanging either pieces of flesh or parts of clothing worn by the unfortunate workmen.

Twenty-six men were in the packing house when the powder exploded and not enough of them was left for identification with the exception of Allan A. Thaxter, the foreman. He was torn to pieces and a part of his body was found hanging on a tree across the creek.

The pellet packing house was a one-story frame building, eighteen by twenty feet and was divided into six rooms. Not a single part of it was to be found. Nearby buildings were badly damaged. A fence was blown away and the scene of the explosion was ripped from their fastenings. The men injured were outside the plant. They were struck by bits of machinery, flying boards, rocks and other debris and all were badly mutilated. They were rushed to hospitals in this city. One or two had eyes blown out and several lost an arm or leg. Physicians testified they were so badly injured that not one of them is expected to survive.

One theory advanced by workmen at the yard is that the explosion may have originated in a spark caused by a small car running over some spilled powder. A workman said just before the explosion a car in which there were several thousand pounds of black powder had been drawn by two horses along a narrow gauge track to the entrance of the packing house to be prepared for shipment.

Some of the powder, it was said, may have spilled from the car. Either a horse's shoe or the wheel of a car could have ignited the stuff and caused a flash to reach the powder in the house.

The shock of the blast struck terror to the hearts of the residents of Hagley, Henry Clay and other settlements along the Brandywine accustomed as they are to powder mill explosions. The DuPont works are operating in three shifts and almost every home in the neighborhood is represented among the employees of the plant.

There was a rush to all the gates by relatives and others to learn if any one was killed. Every entrance was barred by armed guards. No one was admitted except some of those who rushed out from Wilmington in automobiles when they learned the seriousness of the accident.

The guard about the plant was increased tonight by Major Sylvester head of the DuPont Police Department, who was formerly chief of police at Washington, D. C. The DuPont secret service men are also active but nothing could be learned as to what line of investigating they are pursuing.

LEGISLATORS PLAN TO RECESS UNTIL JANUARY

ORIGINAL PLANS WERE FOR A SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT TODAY

About Half the State Appropriation Measures Have Been Passed by Both Houses—Senate Will Re-Convene Tonight.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 30.—Plans to have the special session of the legislature complete its work tomorrow and recess until sometime after the first of January were made late tonight by legislative leaders. Original plans had been for a sine die adjournment tomorrow.

By taking a recess it was pointed out, the legislature would be in a position to re-enact further appropriation legislation in case the courts invalidate more of the measures passed by the last regular general assembly.

Half of Measures Are Passed. About half of the state appropriation measures, for the enactment of which the special session was called had been passed by both houses tonight and sent to the governor for the signature which will make them effective. By working half of tonight and all day tomorrow the lawmakers hoped to be able to adjourn sine die tomorrow night, with all of the appropriation measures re-enacted. The state senate will reconvene tomorrow night to give its sanction to corrections made in senate bills by the house today, but most of them probably will be given roll calls tomorrow.

Considerable opposition to their passage is expected in the house. By a vote of 102 to 22, the house this evening reconsidered and passed the bill appropriating \$100,000 to the attorney general for the employment of special counsel for various state departments. The measure was voted upon at the morning session, but lacked 36 votes of enough for passage.

The supreme court recently held that all of the legal work of state departments should be conducted by the attorney general's office. In order to handle the additional work caused by this decision, the attorney general asked for the additional appropriation. Representative William J. Graham of Alton, led the fight against the bill. The principal objection to the measure was that it contained no limitation as to how the money was to be expended.

The house also adopted the McCormick resolution by a vote of 77 to 43, petitioning the governor to call another special session for the enactment of foot and mouth appropriations for the re-creating of the efficiency and economy commission and for the validation of the recent Cook county good roads bond issue. Gov. Dunne yesterday indicated that he would call another session for foot and mouth and good roads legislation to be held sometime in January. Today he intimated that the call would not be issued until about Christmas time. He has let it be known that he does not favor including the efficiency and economy project in the call.

The house worked at top speed at today's morning and afternoon session but recessed at the dinner hour until 10:30 o'clock tonight. The long recess was taken so that the members could attend a reception given in the hotel tonight by Gov. and Mrs. Dunne. Apparently all friction, evidenced yesterday over the foot and mouth legislation had disappeared today.

House committees today killed all bills seeking to amend the primary act by refusing to vote them out. Among the bills finally passed today was the one re-creating the state centennial commission.

BENDER FILES SUIT AGAINST FEDS FOR ALLEGED BREACH OF CONTRACT

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A suit for alleged breach of contract on behalf of Charles A. (Chief) Bender, the pitcher, was filed in United States court here today against the Federal League of Professional Baseball Clubs. Bender seeks to recover a judgment of \$8,666 from the league. The former Philadelphia American star claims he was released unconditionally by the Baltimore Federal League club last August in violation of the terms of his contract which is said to have been for two years at \$7,500 per annum.

TEN ARE INJURED, TWO FATALLY, BY AN EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 30.—Ten persons were injured, two fatally by an explosion of gasoline in the garage of J. D. Strutzel here this afternoon. Fire attacked the structure and fifty seven new autos were destroyed.

The injured are Andrew Strutzel and William Rothburn, fatally.

MITCHELL TO COACH HARVARD BASEBALL TEAM.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 30.—The election of Fred Mitchell, coach and scout of the Boston Nationals, as head coach for the Harvard baseball team was announced by the Harvard Athletic association tonight.

TARIFFS ARE SUSPENDED.

Washington, Nov. 30.—Tariffs of the Chicago & Northwestern railway naming new joint thru rates on grain in carloads from points on its line via Peoria, Ill., to points in the east were suspended by the Interstate commerce commission until March 30th.

NINETEEN DEAD IN MINE EXPLOSION

Bodies Will Not Be Taken from Boomer Workings Until This Morning

ELEVEN ARE MISSING

Thirty Miners Are Brought to Surface—Rescuers Have Hopes of Finding Others Alive

SAW MANY APPARENTLY DEAD

BOOMER, W. Va., Nov. 30.—Nineteen men are known to have been killed by an explosion in Mine No. 2, of the Boomer Coal & Coke company here today according to rescue parties emerging from the workings tonight. One of the shops of the company has been fitted up as a temporary morgue but the bodies will not be taken out until tomorrow morning.

Eleven others are known to be missing.

Thirty Are Brought to Surface.

Thirty miners were brought to the surface tonight and rescuers have hopes that others will be found alive. The work of removing the debris from the entries is progressing slowly and it will be late tomorrow before the innermost parts of the mine have been explored.

Thirty men were removed from the mine tonight by rescue parties and E. A. Bell, chief clerk of the company, said that thirty were still missing. All suffered from the effects of the explosion but none were in serious condition except one man whose leg was broken. Mine officials expressed the opinion that at least a majority of those yet in the mine have barricaded themselves back of the point where the explosion occurred.

Three hundred miners were at work at the time but mine officials said that all but thirty had been accounted for.

Saw Many Apparently Dead.

Ten miners were rescued from a sub-entrance to the mine at six o'clock this evening in a semi-conscious condition. When revived they said they had seen many men apparently dead a short distance from the point where the explosion occurred. Early reports said that fire was raging in the mine but rescuers denied this. The fans were not affected by the explosion and are kept in operation. Rescue teams are working in thirty minute shifts under the supervision of State Mine Inspector Earl Henry and D. J. Parker, chief engineer in charge of the car of the United States bureau of mines stationed at Huntington, W. Va.

John Bertalle, one of the rescued miners said that 75 men were working near the place where the explosion occurred. He was badly bruised but was able to make his way to a sub-entrance.

ILLINOIS WILL BE NINETY-SEVEN YEARS OLD NEXT FRIDAY

Appropriate Exercises Will Be Held in Many Communities in Observance of the Anniversary.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 30.—Illinois will be ninety-seven years old next Friday and in observance of the anniversary appropriate exercises will be held in many communities. Most important of these gatherings will be the one at Springfield. Here the demonstration will take on an official aspect thru the participation of Gov. Dunne and members of the Illinois Centennial commission, which body is preparing for a great celebration, three years hence, of the 100th anniversary of the admission of the state to the Union.

In addition to the public celebrations that have been arranged by patriotic organizations and individuals for next Friday the anniversary will be generally observed in the public schools. State Superintendent of Public Instruction Blair has recommended to all teachers that fitting exercises be arranged to mark the occasion.

The celebration at the capital will be in the form of a banquet, under the auspices of the Springfield Commercial association and with Gov. Dunne as toastmaster. Addresses will be delivered by H. S. Magill, Jr., of Springfield a former state senator, and John Dailey of Peoria, a member of the present upper house. Mr. Magill was one of the original members of the Centennial commission and was chairman of that body when he retired from the Senate. Senator Dailey is a member of the reorganization commission.

DESIRES MORE TIME.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The Austro-Hungarian government has informed Ambassador Penfield that it desires more time to compile a formal statement regarding the sinking of the Italian steamship Ancona. Advice to the state department today says the Austrian government has encountered difficulties in obtaining a statement from the commander of the submarine.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—W. P. Read, millionaire coal merchant and pioneer of Chicago died here today of pneumonia. He was a Civil War veteran and a former lieutenant-colonel in the Illinois Militia.

NEW WILMINGTON, Pa., Nov. 30.—Prof. Russell Story of the University of Illinois was today recommended for the presidency of the Westminster College by the board of trustees.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Immediate increase of 1,292 patrolmen, 150 motorcycles and twenty-five high-powered automobiles is asked by Chief of Police Healey as a part of his plan to prevent crime and drive crooks out of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout, former president of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association, announced today that she is a candidate for the presidency of the National Woman's Suffrage Association. The association will hold its convention in Washington, Dec. 14.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 30.—The Dayton Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, Dayton, Tenn., was adjudged a bankrupt today in the federal court. Indebtedness \$1,640,000, assets \$1,200,000, with an outstanding mortgage to secure bonds of \$500,000.

VIENNA, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frederick Pointer, a farmer, was placed on trial here today on a charge of murdering four persons, Mrs. George W. Breeze a widow, 70 years old, her two daughters, Miss Mattie Breeze, and Mrs. Rosa Wright of Wichita, Kansas, and her son, George W. Breeze, Jr.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—After a grand jury investigation of charges of slugging, black mail and disorder in connection with various strikes, State's Attorney Hoyne announced today that indictments had been drawn against fifty men.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Violet Asquith, daughter of the British prime minister, and Maurice Bonham Carter, the premier's secretary, were married today at St. Margaret's, Westminster. A distinguished assemblage was present.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A police census of the city, just completed, shows that the greater city has 5,253,888 inhabitants in its five boroughs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—President Wilson today shook hands with a group of Mexican school teachers sent to the United States by General Carranza to study school systems. They were introduced by Counselor Peck of the state department.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Miss Frances Joffe and Mrs. Sara Bard Field, the California envoys who crossed the continent bearing a woman suffrage petition to President Wilson, today resumed their journey toward Washington.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—The University of Washington will have two representatives in the Henry Ford peace delegation to Europe. Besides Emil E. Hurja of Fairbanks, Alaska, editor of the University's daily paper, who was selected by the faculty to make the trip, Russell Peterson of Seattle, another student, will go.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 30.—Charles McChesney, who yesterday pleaded guilty to opening ballotboxes stealing ballots and entering a building in connection with frauds at the September primary election, was today sentenced to pay a fine of \$250 and serve nine months in jail. More than 100 indictments in connection with the election are yet to be disposed of.

STATE WILL CONCLUDE ITS CASE AGAINST HALPIN TODAY

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—The case for the state against John J. Halpin, the "man higher up" in the police graft prosecution will be concluded tomorrow according to announcement today by Frank Johnston, Jr., assistant state's attorney who is prosecuting the former head of the detective bureau.

Since the trial began thirty-six witnesses have been put on the stand by the state. Three stories will testify tomorrow. Their stories converged on the allegation that Halpin accepted money to protect the operations of the clairvoyant swindlers.

STRATTON IS FOUND DEAD.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 30.—Fred S. Stratton, former collector of port for San Francisco, was found dead near Pleasanton, Alameda county tonight with a bullet wound in his head. The body was found by an automobile party. A loaded revolver was beside the body.

PROVOKES STORMY DEBATE.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The bill providing for the calling to the colors of the young conscripts of the class of 1917, a measure recently sanctioned by the army committee of the chamber of deputies, provoked a stormy debate in the chamber today. Premier Briand participating in the discussion.

DR. BUENZ WITNESS FOR HIS OWN CAUSE

Reveals German Government as Mainspring of Move to Succor Cruisers

SKETCHES LONG CAREER

Tells of Agreement Entered Into by Hamburg-American Line and German Government

RAND IN OPENING ADDRESS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The German government was revealed today as the mainspring of the movement to succor German cruisers at sea with coal and supplies shipped on neutral vessels from American ports early in the war by testimony of Dr. Karl Buenz, managing director of the Hamburg-American line. Dr. Buenz took the witness stand late today in the trial of himself and other line officials and employees for conspiracy to defraud the United States.

Is Assisted to Witness Chair.

Dr. Buenz, elderly and somewhat infirm, was assisted to the witness chair soon after William Rand, Jr., had concluded the opening address to the jury on behalf of the defense. Previously federal Judge Howe had heard protracted argument upon a motion by Mr. Rand to dismiss the indictments. This motion was denied and Dr. Buenz was the second witness for his own cause, the first being a local customs house employee who identified certain clearance papers in the case.

Propped up in the witness chair and under the friendly guidance of counsel Dr. Buenz sketched his 72 year career from his birth in Germany thru tendency of various offices in his native land to his appointment to the German consular service nearly thirty years ago. He had served his country abroad, in the United States, in Mexico and in Haiti—in the consular or diplomatic service—until three years ago when he was made directing head in this country of the Hamburg-American line's affairs. Up to that time he had been schooled in diplomacy and law rather than sea faring and was virtually without experience as a steamship man. In the fall of 1912, Dr. Buenz testified, he received from the head of the line in Hamburg a letter which notified him that his superior officers and the German government had signed and sealed an agreement which would become operative in time of war of which there was not then a whisper—and that an abstract of this agreement would be sent shortly to the German consul general in New York, where he might see it.

Outlines Salient Points. The letter then outlined the salient points which were, as recalled by Dr. Buenz, about as follows: "That the Hamburg-American line would undertake to send coal and supplies to any German warships needing them in the Atlantic ocean, should Germany engage in war and should there be such warships in the Atlantic at that time.

"That certain methods of communication would be used by the home office of the line in Hamburg to advise the line's officials in New York where to send the supply ships.

"In due time the abstract of this agreement with the German government came to the German consul here as promised; was found to be as outlined. There the matter rested until the 31st day of July, 1914. On the morning of that day when the shadow of war rested over Europe, Dr. Buenz received a cablegram from Hamburg which read about as follows:

"Answered Hamburg Query. "Are you prepared to carry out our agreement with the German government?" To this he sent one word back over the wires, "yes" and then, feeling that German ships were soon to be swept from the sea, he set in motion the machinery to provide neutral vessels to carry his cargoes of coal and supplies to his compatriots afloat in the south Atlantic. Thus the defense contends was fashioned what the American government has termed a conspiracy to deceive and defraud the United States.

Dr. Buenz, directing the activities of the three other defendants—all his subordinates in the line—was alone to blame if there were any blame, Mr. Rand told the jury in his opening address and even Dr. Buenz was simply following orders.

"There was one provision that was not followed out," Mr. Rand said, "and only one: no money was furnished with which to charter and supply the ships. But the men of the Hamburg-American line and the line itself dug down into their own funds and spent the money themselves knowing it would be repaid. When these funds ran short there was a cry for help and money came here from Germany."

SENATE DEMOCRATS TO RESUME CAUCUS TODAY

PREPARE FOR LIVELY DISCUSSION OVER RULES COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Owen Expects Cloture Rule Will be Approved by the Caucus and Later Meet With Approval in the Senate.

Washington, Nov. 30.—Democrats of the senate will resume their caucus tomorrow prepared for a lively discussion over a report from the special rules committee recommending a modified form of limitation on debate. Senator Owen, chairman of the expected cloture rule would be approved by the caucus and later meet with approval in the senate. There are certain to be some Democrats however, who will not be committed to support the measure. Among the majority senators opposed to radical revision of the rules are Clarke of Arkansas, Hardwick of Georgia, Hitchcock of Nebraska, O'Gorman of New York; Bankhead of Alabama; Vardaman of Mississippi and Overman of North Carolina. They are expected to fight the report in caucus on the ground that revision of the rules should not be made a party measure and later to oppose it in the senate, contending that the senate should not tie itself down with restrictions similar to those adopted in the house.

Mindful of opposition within the party, champions of cloture are endeavoring to phrase the rule so it will be satisfactory to several Progressive Republicans whose votes they expect to win. They plan to recommend a rule along lines suggested by Senator Norris of Nebraska which would limit each senator to three hours general debate on a given measure and fifteen minutes on amendments, no time being extended without unanimous consent.

A president pro tempore of the senate and vice-chairman of the caucus will be elected tomorrow. While some opposition has been expressed to re-election of Senator Clarke of Arkansas as president pro tempore because of his revolt last session against the ship purchase bill, no candidate has appeared to oppose him and his election seemed assured tonight.

Several senators, it is said plan to enliven the proceedings tomorrow with speeches on the subject of party solidarity. For vice-chairman the names of Senators Pomeroy of Ohio and Lewis of Illinois have been mentioned.

The ways and means committee of the house continued at work all day endeavoring to re-adjust the committee to take care of the greatly increased Republican minority. Their task not yet half done, must be completed in time for the house Democratic caucus Saturday night.

WIDOW OF JOHANN HOCK, ONE OF THE THIRTY-TWO, DIES IN CHICAGO

Mrs. Mary Hoch Wernke Dies of Starvation, Superinduced by Pneumonia.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—A widow of Johann Hock—one of the thirty-two—died of starvation superinduced by pneumonia here today. She was Mrs. Mary Hoch Wernke, aged 65 years. She lay ill and starving in her cottage for five days before the police found her.

Her identity was not suspected until after death. Hock branded at his trial as an arch-bigamist and murderer of many of the wives whom he bigamously married, was hanged in this city a decade or more ago.

The woman who died today was an important witness against him but after Hock's execution she remarried and retired to obscurity.

Her second husband, Wernke, died several years ago and her name was not suspected that the lonely widow had once been an important figure in a world-wide sensation.

SIX OF THE TWENTY PRISONERS IN THE WATERLOO JAIL ESCAPE

WATERLOO, Ia., Nov. 30.—Six of the twenty prisoners in the county jail escaped this evening by forcing an opening thru a brick wall. The delivery was detected by Sheriff Henderson shortly after the men had broken out and a general alarm was given. Tonight the city and country is being searched by police and county officials. One of the prisoners who escaped is George Akers, who was recently convicted on a charge of assault and sentenced to Anamosa for three years. He was being held here as a witness in another case.

The other five were charged with minor offenses.

CONFEE REGARDING NOTE.

Washington, Nov. 30.—President Wilson and Secretary Lansing had a long conference today regarding the note on contraband which the United States will send to Great Britain and a number of other matters pending before the state department. Secretary Lansing let it be known that a great deal of care was being exercised in framing the note.

BURKE OUTPOINTS ROWLAND.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 30.—Tommy Burke of this city outpointed Len Rowland of Milwaukee, Wis., in an eight-round bout here tonight. The men are middle-weights.

SERBS RETREAT INTO ALBANIA

Wintry Weather Retards Operations Against Montenegro and in Serbia

ITALIANS GAIN SLOWLY

King Victor Emmanuel's Troops Drawing Their Nets Around Tolmino, Gorizia and Doberdo

RUSS PUSH GERMANS BACK

LONDON, Nov. 30.—With the retreat of the greater part of the Serbian army across the Albanian frontier, the slowness of the operations against Montenegro and in southern Serbia owing to the wintry weather and the absence of any major operations on the western and eastern fronts interest in the military side of the war is now transferred to the Austro-Italian frontier, where King Victor Emmanuel's troops are carrying on an energetic offensive against the Austrians.

Fighting is Most Sustained.

The fighting on this front has been the most sustained and one of the fiercest battles of the war. For weeks the Italians have been attacking the Austrian bridge heads and mountain positions along the Isonzo river and are slowly but surely drawing their nets around Tolmino, Gorizia and Doberdo. Their attacks have been repeated time after time against positions which had been most carefully prepared and while the Austrians report that most of these assaults have been repulsed their accounts are considered here to have been so worded as to prepare the public for their retirement from Gorizia at least.

This for the time being is Italy's contribution to the Balkan operations of the allies for it keeps a large force of Austrians busy and makes it necessary for them continually to bring up reinforcements which could be employed against the Montenegrins and Serbians.

Serbs Will Probably Re-Appear.

The Serbians unless followed into Albania will in time probably reappear as a rejuvenated army, for it is said that 250,000 of them including soldiers and civilians, have taken refuge there and that they have saved all their mountain batteries and a portion of their field guns. Also included in this number are all the youths who can fill the gaps when equipment reaches them from the Adriatic.

German papers state that Field Marshal Von Mackensen's army, with Bulgarians and Turks, is to be directed against the Anglo-French forces in the south, but doubtless many of them are going down the Danube to meet the Russian menace, the public is expecting every day to hear of the movement of the Russian army, which the emperor recently viewed in Bessarabia but apparently the negotiations with Rumania for the use of the Danube have not been concluded. A Budapest report goes so far as to say that Rumania has refused permission to the Russians to use the river thru Rumanian territory which would be the more convenient route for an attack on Western Bulgaria.

Nothing Forthcoming From Greece.

There also seems to be some hitch in the allies negotiations with Greece for nothing is yet forthcoming as to the latter country's reply to the latest demands for guarantees of safety and facilities to the allies. The Greek reply was expected yesterday and the delay in its receipt leads to the supposition that the Greek cabinet is not prepared to go as far as the entente powers.

The Russians, by a counter attack in the region of Iloukist, have driven Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's men a little further from the Dvina river. These, however, are only incidents, doubtless taken to test the strength of the opposing forces.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS: Mostly cloudy Wednesday, probably light snow flurries in north portion, colder in afternoon night; Thursday fair.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Tuesday were:

Jacksonville	33	34	16
Boston	36	44	38
Buffalo	28	32	26
New York	34	42	30
New Orleans	52	58	44
Chicago	35	36	23
Detroit	30	37	24
Omaha	32	33	24
St. Paul	31	38	18
Helena	30	38	20
San Francisco	62	66	59
Winnipeg	0	6	-2

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Sixteen Lives Sacrificed.

In the season just closed football the most strenuous of all outdoor sports, claimed sixteen lives. Last year the toll was one less, but despite every precaution taken by the rules committee the autumn game continues to reap its harvest annually, says Otto Angel in the Chicago Tribune.

Not a single death was reached in any game in which the players were known to be trained physically, as well as mentally, for the severe test; not a single life was lost in a game where a doctor's examination was demanded before the contestant was permitted to step upon the gridiron; not a single fatality was recorded in a combat handled as football should be handled.

In most cases those who lost their lives were members of high school, semi-pro, and prairie eleven, where there is little or no system of physical training. It is true, some of the deaths would have occurred even under the best conditions, but several might have been prevented with proper care as to physical fitness.

Saving the Children.

The work of the bureau of child hygiene in New York City has been very effective, according to a report recently made by Dr. Josephine Baker, director of the bureau. Her report covered a period of two years and showed improvement in conditions affecting the health of babies in the great city. In the course of a year's time 60,000 babies are under the direction of the

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

HYMN OF HATE.

It makes no odds if people hate you, if they malign you and berate you; for if you're walking circumspectly, and doing your deeds correctly, what people say will never hurt you, or knock the polish from your virtue. Let people hate you, if that action affords them self satisfaction. It's when you hate yourself my neighbor, that hatred breeds, as with a saber. When I left home this morning, growling, and showed the folks a visage scowling, and spoke no word that they might treasure, I spoiled for them the whole day's pleasure. That's why I hate myself so deeply, that's why I hold myself so cheaply, and when one hates himself like blazes, he can't be soothed with cheerup phrases. And every time we are descending to doing things that need defending remorse is in our bosoms grating; we know the bitterness of hating.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

VAUDEVILLE

Leon and Adeline
Sisters

In a Mirthful Pantomimic Novelty

FEATURE PICTURE

A 3-Reel Rialto

The New Adam and Eve
Featuring Grace Valentine

5c and 10c

COMING

December 2—First Story in the series, "The New Adventures of J. Rufus Wallingford".

Friday—A Shubert and Brady feature, "Sunday", starring Reine Davis.

bureau and the death rate has been reduced to 95 out of every 1000, where formerly the figures were 165. It is partly as a result of this work that New York is now able to claim the lowest mortality rate of any of the ten largest cities of the country. The work of the bureau is along scientific lines and thus again science is making a contribution toward modern life and is helping to bring such comforts and such knowledge to the poorer classes of the great cities as to help them to conserve the lives of children.

At first thought the action taken by the city council in passing an anti-cider ordinance may seem somewhat drastic and that an effort is being made to have Jacksonville dry even to the point of fanaticism. As a matter of fact the ordinance was introduced and passed in the council to put an end to the sale of a kind of cider which is more intoxicating than beer. Commissioner Martin had samples purchased in several local establishments sent away for analysis and the reports showed four per cent alcohol. Some beer contains not more than two per cent alcohol, and the brand reputed to be the most intoxicating does not have more alcohol in it than was true of the cider samples. Cider of the kind which has been sold over some bars here is not cider in the common acceptance of the term, and the council has felt that in allowing cider sales for three months of each year that the time has been provided for the making and the sale of cider that can legitimately be termed sweet. Cider kept later than the date mentioned in the ordinance unless some preservative is used, and this to a great extent destroys the flavor. The council did not desire to interfere with individual rights or with private business but passed the ordinance in order to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquor under the guise of sweet cider.

Pay Up Week Dream.

Some of the neighboring towns are urging a "pay-up week" in order to stimulate the holiday trade, says the Bloomington Pantagraph. Unquestionably if all the lighter obligations and open accounts were squared up and everybody would settle with everybody else within the next few days it would have a fine effect. It might enable some to enjoy the season who otherwise would be cramped and restricted. Every household knows its own troubles in meeting the necessary daily obligations and the man who owes a debt may not realize the mortification and annoyance he may cause his creditor by delaying payment. Prompt payment can never make trouble for anyone while slow settlement at least has large possibilities in this direction. Pay the preacher, pay the doctor and other professional men whom you owe for service pay the merchant, pay the shopkeeper, pay the plumber, the mechanic, the ordinary laborer and the tradesman of every name to whom you owe any sum, however small. Such a course would stimulate every branch of trade, would put new life and cheer into the holiday season and clear the way for the happy opening of the new year. It is a question that comes home to everybody and with these obligations all discharged, the conscience of everybody clear, the happiness supposed to be incident to the closing year would be just around and the enjoyment of some would not serve to emphasize the unhappiness of others. Charity should come to the relief of such as are in actual need, but the prompt payment of all obligations due would help a great deal toward the relief of stress and annoyance, if not real suffering, in the community.

The Development of the Locomotive
The Burlington Hawkeye points out that this year is the one hundredth anniversary of the locomotive. If the inventor of the first steam propelled carriage that ran on rails could see the great modern locomotive monsters even he would hardly recognize that the present type is an evolution of his own idea. The present day locomotive is indeed a wonderful piece of machinery and represents thousands of experiments made by almost an equal number of brainy inventors. The development of the western country was due in large measure to the invention of the locomotive and the harnessing of steam for quickly following the railroads came settlements and civilization. This has been true not only in our own country, where the west was developed mainly by the railroads, but also in all the countries of the globe. The development of Alaska and of western Canada would have been delayed further centuries without the locomotive, and some of the wilds of Africa and other far away lands would have been comparatively unknown had not development followed the introduction of steam transportation. Notwithstanding the marvelous development there are many men who believe that it will not be many years when the present types of locomotives now considered the best, are supplanted by others electrically driven instead of by steam. One hundred years ago the development of today was not even dreamed of, so it is not fair to assume that men have now accomplished everything possible and that future years will see no growth.

A Christian Science View.
Out of all the conflicting views expressed concerning the Bollinger baby case, that of the Christian Scientists, presented in an editorial in the Christian Science Monitor, takes an angle of the question which is unique. The Monitor warns its readers that acceptance of the principle that doctors may pass upon the right of any human being to live opens the way for a domination on the part of the medical fraternity as autocratic as that of the ancient

Caesars or the Church of the Middle Ages. It adds:

"It is scarcely necessary to point out that the latest triumph of modern medical science is not original. It has been stated that the Chinese have anticipated everything western from the mariner's compass to gunpowder. Unquestionably they anticipated the latest Chicago medical practice, and so as a matter of fact, did the Red Indians, and a few other people. We imagine something of this nature has also been heard of along the banks of the Ganges, but we suspect that the revivers of the theory will not care to adopt the by-products of the outlook which they have adopted, and suspend themselves from hooks, or indulge in other pleasures of that nature. Still, when all is said and done, when we have assumed that one specific school of medical science is the only school which knows how to heal; when we have assumed that this school never makes a wrong diagnosis and is therefore incapable of doing away with an unhealthy child which might have been made into a healthy one; when we have assumed that this school possesses no black sheep, who might be found to do away with an unwished-for child, after birth, just as unwished-for children before birth have been got rid of; when we have assumed this, and a great many other assumptions far too numerous to mention, we are still confronted by the awkward fact that a school which proposes to persecute and punish by law other practitioners, simply and solely for the sin of disagreeing with it, claims now the right to break the law on its own account. We are interested, not to say curious, to learn what the state government proposes to do in such circumstances."

Parent-Teachers' Organizations.

The movement which has resulted in the formation of parent-teachers' organizations is only a few years old but has demonstrated its usefulness. The meeting held last night at the fourth ward school gave evidence that the purpose of the organization is to bring parents, teachers and school officers into closer relationship that all may share in the wonderful work of developing the public school system. It would be possible for a parent-teachers' organization to attempt detail work in connection with the schools which would put the organization into disfavor with both teachers and school officers, but conducted along sane lines as is true of the several ward organizations in Jacksonville, the parent-teachers' association has a good influence.

It is not until mature years come that the average person recognizes that while some uplift and betterment movements may find fruition among the adult classes, the far greater work is with young people and children. The men and women of today in large measure have their habits of mind, or work, or conduct so formed that it is hard to change them, but younger people are more impressionable, and so those movements which really accomplish much in the line of betterment directly influence the young. No doubt it is upon the recognition of this fact that

the parent-teachers' movement was started. The tendency of present day education is to center the community interests about the school and thus the schools are becoming even a greater influence for good in every community than they have been in the past. Something of the strength of that influence is measured by the interest that the parents have in the schools and the development of this interest is one of the laudable functions of the parent-teachers' associations.

APPROVES CHRISTMAS PLAN.

Editor of the Journal:
I read your recent announcement that the Journal company will add 10 per cent to any Christmas donation given to the Salvation army or for various other causes. This plan appeals to me as practical and as one which will be likely to increase the enthusiasm of giving. We are soliciting funds now to take care of needy families in the city and to provide Christmas cheer also, and I hope that contributions for the Salvation army fund will come thru the Journal. By this means we will receive 10 per cent more than would otherwise be true and I know of no way than we can so easily increase the money that are entrusted to our care. I can give assurance to the public that gifts of food or clothing to the army will be properly distributed and that money will be honestly expended for the relief of worthy and needy persons. I certainly appreciate the generous proposition you are making to the Salvation army.

Very truly yours,
Capt. J. A. Mace.
LADIES' AND MISSES' KNIT CAPS—THE LATEST MODEL ONLY 39 CENTS, AT HERMAN'S.

FIRST CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED
FOR THE UNITED CHRISTMAS FUND

Mayor Rodgers Sent in Check for the Salvation Army so That Ten Per Cent Would Be Added.

The first contribution to the United Christmas fund proposed again by the Journal this year, came yesterday from Mayor Henry J. Rodgers. He sent in a check for \$5 for the Salvation Army.

The way it came about just at this time was like this: The captain of the Salvation Army asked the mayor for a contribution toward the army's "Christmas" fund. "Well, I'll give you five dollars" was the reply, "but I want to make it cost the Journal fifty cents and so I will send the check there for the ten per cent addition". The check came, fifty cents has been added and the Salvation Army thus has the first contribution and \$5.50 to the credit of the army fund.

WINDOW DISPLAY OF CHARMING EVENING GOWNS TODAY—Dainty colors in chiffon taffeta and georgette crepe; very popular prices. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

WILL MAKE INVESTIGATION
REGARDING BUSINESS HERE.

Secretary Carl H. Weber has received from the Associated Advertising clubs of America a request for data as to business conditions in this community and a short list of questions will be submitted to Jacksonville merchants to secure the information desired. This investigation will be made thru the country and will begin Dec. 3.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Capital.....\$150,000
Undivided Profits.....\$ 20,000

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

Savings Department

Savings Deposits received on or before
DECEMBER 10th will bear interest from
the FIRST of the month.

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Based on Victorien Sardou's "La Tosca"

A brilliant society drama of today. Nothing like it yet beheld on spoken or silent stage. Sways your soul with subtle wizardry.

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"THE PRETENDERS"

Crauford Kent, one of the most popular stars on the legitimate stage, is featured in this production, while Marguerite Courtot, the beautiful leading lady, heads the supporting cast.

Mr. Kent has probably never appeared in a role which shows him to such excellent advantage as that of Dick Mason, the young clubman who pretends to be a farmer when he meets Elsie Dunbar, a spoiled child of society, who is summering out in the country. Elsie, in turn, deceives Dick by pretending to be a farmer's daughter. Later, the two are led to mistake each other for burglars and, together with a sure-enough burglar, are yanked to the village lockup. The circumstances leading up to this are just crammed with laughter and excitement. Be sure you see "The Pretenders".

8 Reels of Pictures!

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Admission: Adults 15c, Children 10c

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Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight
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Aluminum Pudding Pan, 2 qt. 100 Coupons
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from our fountain and learn what a good drink really is. There is a whole lot of good in a drink of this kind if you get it right. Our ideas of what is right are very peculiar. We want every ingredient to be of the best. We want our soda to

DO YOU GOOD

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SOUTH SIDE SQUARE.

What Is the Best Remedy For Constipation?
This is a question asked us many times each day. The answer is
ReCALL Orderlies
We guarantee them to be satisfactory to you. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Lee P. Allcott.

CITY AND COUNTY

C. H. Holt of Springfield visited the city yesterday.
A. Wyatt of Virginia was here Tuesday on business.
George Taylor of Waverly spent Tuesday in Jacksonville.
W. H. Phillips was in the city yesterday from Litchfield.
Harvey H. Hansmeier was in the city Tuesday from Concord.
H. E. Bell of White Hall was an arrival in the city yesterday.
W. H. Pennod of Clinton was an arrival in the city yesterday.
Mrs. Harry Bell of White Hall was in the city yesterday.
Carl Wilson of Alexandria was a visitor in the city yesterday.
Michael Anderson of Concord made the city a visit yesterday.
S. H. Crum helped represent Litchfield in the city yesterday.
T. E. Laurie of Litchfield was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

LARGE ATTRACTIVE LINE OF LADIES' WAISTS SPECIALLY PRICED AT HERMAN'S.

Ed Hoch of Carthage spent Tuesday in Jacksonville on business.
Mrs. E. H. Croise of Murrayville made the city a visit yesterday.
Ernest Wood of Pisgah was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.
Ben Cary of the south part of the county visited the city yesterday.
Miss Florence Call of Hillview was a Tuesday shopper in Jacksonville.
Mrs. C. E. Taylor of Roodhouse was shopping in the city Tuesday.
Miss Allie Laughlin of Roodhouse spent Tuesday shopping in the city.
Dell Newton of Peoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Miss Mabel Bourn is a guest of Mrs. J. A. Hopper, northeast of the city.

Mrs. Edward Balsley of Winchester was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Ryan of Franklin made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Remember State Street church bazaar and market Dec. 2nd. Opens at noon. Fancy articles of all kinds for Xmas shoppers. Cateria lunch served noon hour.

H. F. Brown of Springfield was calling on friends in the city Tuesday.

W. B. Strang of Roodhouse was a Jacksonville business visitor yesterday.

Anderson Kitchen of Lynnville precinct visited city friends yesterday.

Chicken supper and bazaar. Liberty hall tonight. Powers orchestra.

Mrs. Anna Magill of East College avenue is visiting her son in Springfield.

Korah Roberts of Mason City was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Harry S. Kramer of East St. Louis was calling on local merchants yesterday.

F. G. Trotter was in from Sinclair yesterday trading with local merchants.

John Crater of Beardstown was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

H. W. Wood of Arenzville was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. A. Barrows of Waverly was among the shoppers in the city Tuesday.

J. H. Radley of Peoria was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

Edward Hoch of Carthage was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

William Ryan, Jr., of Delavan was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

C. A. Sowers of Alexandria was transacting business in the city yesterday.

George Jones of Waverly had business attractions in the city yesterday.

W. A. Graham of Peoria was interviewing Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Roy Robinson of Prentice was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Miss Nellie Bean has returned to Winchester after a visit with friends in the city.

P. D. Trotter was in the city yesterday from the vicinity of Strawn's Crossing.

William Gaslin of Beardstown was among the business men of the city yesterday.

E. W. Bridge of Virginia was among the Tuesday business callers in the city.

Mrs. Rosa Strawn of Alexandria is making a visit of several days in Jacksonville.

LADIES' AND MISSES' KNEE CAPS—THE LATEST MODEL, ONLY 39 CENTS, AT HERMAN'S.

Dr. R. O. Hawthorne of Roodhouse was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Mary Hohman of Alexandria was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Elmer Smith of Grace Chapel vicinity was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Bert Holmes of Ashland was among the business men in the city yesterday.

J. R. Sligh and Miss Christine Sligh of Virginia were Tuesday visitors in the city.

H. F. Selig of White Hall was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Walter Smith has returned to Mt. Sterling after a visit with Jacksonville friends.

John Mayers of Mason City was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Roy Troxell of Meredosia was among the visitors in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. R. H. Duer of Meredosia was among the business visitors in the city Tuesday.

Miss Alice Gilliland of Springfield was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. Henry Bell of White Hall was visiting yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

Dr. H. A. Chapin of White Hall was here Tuesday looking after business matters.

Miss Stella Corrington of Murrayville was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

James Mahon of the north part of the county was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. N. E. Hollandsworth of Chicago, a coffee demonstrator, arrived in the city yesterday.

Father D. J. Maroney of Carrollton was among the Tuesday business callers in the city.

Miss Elsie Cully of the vicinity of Joy Prairie was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Thomas Wilson of Murrayville was attending to business interests in the city yesterday.

Miss Irene Oxley of the vicinity of Providence was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince Coates drove to the city yesterday from their home west of Lynnville.

William Danby of the west part of the county was calling on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Noah Hudson and daughter Sadie of Roodhouse were among the Tuesday visitors in Jacksonville.

Frank Todd, manager of the county farm, was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

W. H. Rohrer and C. S. Dikis of Waverly were attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Likes of Bluffs and Mrs. Guy L. Todd of Springfield were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carpenter and family have returned from a four day's visit in Sandusky, Ia.

Ross Long, resident in the west part of the county called on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moody of the northeast part of the county were calling on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Minnie Berry of Elkhart is in the city for a visit with Mrs. S. E. Beebe, 814 West College avenue.

Mrs. Bluford Violet and daughter, Miss Mary, were representatives of Beardstown in the city yesterday.

Miss Zelma Hackman of Arenzville is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Jordan on Jordan street.

Mrs. Alfred Glossup of Colorado Springs, Colo., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rapp on South East street.

The West Side Thursday Club will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow with Miss Viola Raedner, 1109 South Clay avenue.

Mrs. E. A. Nixon has returned to St. Louis after a visit of several days at the home of Mrs. Irvin Dunlap on West College avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Los Angeles, Calif., are in the city visiting Mrs. Miller's cousin, A. M. Masters and family on South Main street. Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Bertha Masters.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elliott of

Chapin have for the past few days been visiting their daughters, Mrs. Frank Hamm of North Main street and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, east of the city.

Miss Margaret A. Plunkett of Chicago, connected with the Butterick Publishing Company of New York arrived in the city yesterday and will be at Hillerby's dry goods store for a few days helping swell the subscription list of the Delineator.

She will be pleased to confer with the ladies of the city and vicinity regarding matters pertaining to the latest fashions and styles and will gladly offer valuable suggestions.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Woman's Country Club

With Mrs. Henry Stewart.

Members of the Woman's Country club enjoyed a profitable afternoon session Tuesday when Mrs. Henry Stewart entertained the club for its bi-weekly gathering, at her home near Orleans. A piano solo by Mrs. Albert E. Curry was followed by the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner". Mrs. F. E. Drury, assisted by Mrs. A. A. Curry, had charge of the program which dealt with the effects of the European war upon American life and prosperity. At the business session officers for the ensuing three months were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. Clark Stevenson. Vice president—Miss Matilda Richardson.

Recording secretary—Mrs. Henry Welborn.

Surprised Newly Weds

The members of Mrs. Claude Vail's Sunday school class gave a surprise party Tuesday evening to Mrs. Nina C. Abbott at her home on North Prairie street. Mrs. Abbott was married on Thanksgiving day and the surprise was a kitchen shower. The guests took many useful presents as well as refreshments and the occasion was a delightful one.

Five Hundred Attend

Reception at Parsonage.

More than five hundred people were in attendance Tuesday afternoon and evening at the reception and housewarming tendered the Rev. and Mrs. Myron L. Pontius by friends and members of Central Christian church by way of formal opening of the residence property recently completed on West College avenue for the pastor and his family. The hours were from 2 to 5 and from 7 until 10 o'clock and the guests as they arrived were met by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Pontius and conducted thru the house by wives of the church officers. At the punch bowl in the dining room, Mrs. C. F. Ehrie presided during the afternoon hours and Mrs. G. B. Andre, the evening.

Among the handsome floral gifts received from friends in the course of the day were: red roses with red vase, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vannier; yellow chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Buckingham; white chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Andrews; pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byrns; white lily, Miss Nellie Magill; chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gillham; yellow chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Magill.

College Men's Bible

Class of Grace Church.

The College Men's Bible class of Grace M. E. church, of which A. T. Capps is teacher, were entertained last night by Superintendent of the Sunday school, C. E. Collins and wife at their home on South Church street. They were assisted in entertaining by Miss Ruth Collins, Miss Helen Crawley, Miss Faye Rodgers, Miss Ruth Brown and Thomas Hopper, assistant superintendent of Sunday school and Mrs. Hopper. A novel method of entertainment was provided. The company got out an edition of a paper called "Capps' Courier."

The president of the class, Arthur Gustafson, called for an election and the various editors and managers of the paper were chosen. Sheets of paper were then passed around and each one was requested to write a story on the topic assigned. These were collected and sent to the composing room. Later in the evening the paper came out and the news was read, much to the delight of everyone. Songs and games also furnished diversions during the hours and Earl Pond sang several songs in a pleasing manner. Delicious refreshments were served and the entire evening proved one of especial enjoyment.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

SAVINGS DEPOSITS made during the first ten days of December will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

MCCARTY ELEVATOR CO.

SECURES CHARTER

James Kinney returned from Springfield Tuesday where he secured from Secretary of State Rose, a charter for the McCarty Farmers' Elevator company. All moneys for the elevator have practically been collected and the management expects to begin building as soon as necessary arrangements can be made. The officers of the company are Daniel McCarty, president; Everett Burnett, vice-president; J. B. Sea, secretary and treasurer.

RUMORS EXCITE SURPRISE

Zurich, Switzerland, Nov. 30, via London—Rumors of impending changes in the Austrian cabinet have excited surprise and some apprehension in political circles in Vienna, according to advices received here from the Austrian capital.

DETROIT GETS TOURNAMENT.

Chicago, Nov. 30—At the Central A. A. U. meeting here tonight the amateur boxing tournament was awarded to Detroit. The date will be fixed by Detroit members of the union.

MORE COATS, DRESS SKIRTS, SUITS and TRIMMED HATS AT CUT PRICES

These lines we are determined to close out. **Nothing to be carried over to another season.** Now that our loss is your profit we urge you to take advantage of this sale.

LADIES' SUITS IN TWO LOTS

Lot One--Former price was \$11.50 to \$15.00, your choice for **\$5.00**
Lot Two--Former price was \$16.50 to \$25.00, your choice for **\$6.48**

Ladies' Winter Coats at ONE-HALF Former Price

This is your opportunity to buy a Winter Coat cheap. Good warm winter coats at **\$5.00, \$5.98, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.98, \$12.50, \$13.50 & \$15.00**

These are great coat bargains and should not be overlooked.

TRIMMED HAT SALE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

For women that are in need of new Winter Hats at little money. Trimmed Hats, black or color, at a discount of **25 to 33 1-3 per cent.** This opportunity you should not pass by.

WINTER UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Heavy Fleece Vest or Pants 25c	Boys' Heavy Fleece Union Suits 50c
Ladies' Fine Fleece Vest or Pants 50c	Boys' Heavy Fleece Shirts or Drawers 25c
Ladies' Heavy Fleece Union Suits 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50	Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts or Drawers 50c
Children's and Misses' Fleece Union Suits, 25c & 50c	Men's Heavy Fleece Union Suits \$1.00

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MATRIMONIAL

Buchanan-Wood.

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Wood and Thomas D. Buchanan were married Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock by the Rev. Percy W. Stephens at his residence on Diamond Court. The ceremony was witnessed by W. A. Wood, a son of the bride, and the couple left immediately afterward for a brief St. Louis trip. Mr. Buchanan is one of the county's best respected residents. For a number of years he has engaged in farming southeast of Jacksonville and is now retired, living near Pisgah. Mrs. Wood for some time past has made her home with the family of Iven Wood near Pisgah. She is a woman of worth and of wide friendship, and for her wedded life will receive the best wishes of friends in large number.

J. A. Stockton was a caller on city people yesterday.

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Gloves
Neckwear—Four-in-hands or bow ties, newest patterns; as low as 25 cents.
Hosiery—Silk or lisle; in all the new colors and shades, packed in Christmas boxes.

Suspenders
Handkerchiefs—Initial or plain, in fancy boxes.

Underwear	Caps
Mufflers	Collars
Belts	Garters
Watch Fobs	Cuff Links

Gifts between \$1 & \$2

Shirts—In beautiful Madras and cords; a man can't have too many; dress shirts.

Fancy Waistcoats—Some beauties at \$1.50 and \$2.00; some for more.

Sweaters
Nightshirts
Umbrellas—good ones
Fur lined caps
Full dress Jewelry

You'll find us a big help in your Christmas shopping; in most cases we have a record of our customer's sizes and know their tastes as well.

Gifts from \$2 to \$3

Hats—The latest soft shapes in the newest colorings; derbies in the new models.
Heavy Automobile Gloves—Some fur lined.
Fur Caps
Shirts—In extra good quality; advanced style touches.
Leather Novelties—Collarbags; Jewelry Bags for traveling; Toilet Sets for traveling; any number of useful things here.

Gifts from \$3 to \$5

Silk Shirts	Silk Umbrellas
Gloves	House Coats
Bath and Lounging Robes	
Heavy Sweaters	

Gifts from \$5 to \$10

Bath Robes	House Coats
Sweaters	Suit Cases
Fancy Waistcoats	
Traveling Bags	
Traveling Accessories	

Make your selections now; if you wish, we'll lay them aside for future delivery. Should the gifts you buy be already supplied, we'll be glad to make exchanges.

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STATES U. S. MUST PAY MORE ATTENTION TO DEVELOPING TRADE

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Speaking before the chamber of commerce here tonight Former Senator Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, said that to meet the problems which will arise after the war the United States must pay more attention to developing trade with South America, must have a new birth of patriotism and must have a better realization of what the social classes owe to each other.

"We shall surely occupy a new position among the nations," he said. "The United States will exercise a larger influence in the world's affairs and must take the lead in the civilization of the future. To meet this situation it will be necessary for us not to merely consider our rights and our opportunities but our obligations and our responsibilities as well."

GEN. JOSE RODRIGUEZ GAINS POSSESSION OF NACAZARI RAILROAD

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nov. 30.—After defeating and driving back to Nacozari a Carranza force sent to operate against him, General Jose Rodriguez, the Villa commander who eluded the Carranza trap at Cananea ten days ago, gained possession today of the Nacozari railroad and apparently left Agua Prieta, the fortified Mexican town opposite here momentarily open to a second attack. Displaying anew the strategy that characterized his moves at Cananea, Rodriguez got between Carranza troops and the border and moving north reached the town of Esqueda, the shipping point for the town of El Tigre, 33 miles south of the boundary where several mines are owned by Americans.

PROSPERITY DAY REPORTS INDICATE HUGE TRADE REVIVAL

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Prosperity Day reports from almost every section of the United States indicate a trade revival of huge proportions, increases in bank clearings, retail business and manufacturing activities are prominent in almost all of these reports.

New York merchants declare that Americans have more money to spend for Christmas shopping this year than in any holiday season since the Christmas of 1906. The wholesale houses of New York were said to have all the business they could attend today.

REPUBLICANS MEET TO ORGANIZE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN UNION

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Republicans from several states met here today to organize the National Republican Union. The organization, according to Chairman Horace C. Stillwell of Anderson, Ind., is formed to obtain equalized delegate representation in the Republican National convention.

It is proposed to submit a new system for consideration at the 1916 convention, but it is not hoped to make it effective until four years thereafter. The plan of Mr. Stillwell and his associates is to determine the number of delegates in each state on the basis of one to each 8,000 Republican votes. This system, it was said, would greatly reduce the representation from the southern states.

HAZEL DELL

Mr. Oran and Luther Flinn was visiting home folks Sunday.

Miss Audrey Hodgson has been visiting her brother, Mr. Bran Hodgson of Sinclair.

Miss Anna Mudy and Miss Dorothy Hodgson were visiting Mrs. Fred Sang of Pleasant Plains.

Harry Harris has been sick for several days.

Miss Ethel Flinn of Ashland has been visiting her parents for the past week.

Mrs. Aaron Hodgson and Miss Audrey Hodgson was visiting in Ashland Wednesday.

Mr. Howard Farmer and Mr. Everett Flinn spent the day Friday quail hunting.

WARNS LORD NORTHCLEFFE

London, Nov. 30.—Sir John Simon, secretary of state for home affairs, served notice on Lord Northcliffe today in the house of commons that if the "gentler way" heretofore pursued to induce his newspapers to stop the "continual fouling of his own nest" did not prove effective, it "was perfectly possible to take stronger measures".

APPEALS FOR BETTER MOTION PICTURES

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 30.—In an appeal here today, Mrs. B. F. Langworthy of Chicago, president of the Illinois Congress of Mothers and Parent-teachers associations, asked delegates to the convention of the organization to bestir themselves in behalf of better motion pictures for growing children.

PLAN SUFFRAGE HEARING

Washington, Nov. 30.—Miss Frances Joliffe and other advocates of a constitutional amendment for women suffrage will be given a hearing before the house judiciary committee about Saturday, Dec. 11, according to present plans of house leaders.

MONASTIR IS SURRENDERED

London, Dec. 1.—Monastir was formally surrendered to the Bulgarians on Monday according to an Athens despatch to the Daily Telegraph.

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Caps . . . 25c, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50
Fleece lined Automobile Gloves . . . \$1.00

T. M. TOMLINSON

DURBIN

The W. F. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Emma Snyder, Wednesday, Dec. 1st.

Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rawlings, severely burned his hand by the explosion of a shot gun shell Sunday.

Mrs. William Rees and daughter, Mrs. McKenzie of Colorado Springs were Chicago visitors last week. Mr. Rees went to Springfield Tuesday and purchased a fine new Reo to replace the car that was burned in the Franklin fire a week ago.

Mrs. J. A. Walter of Jacksonville spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones.

Mrs. Prudence Douglas and Mrs. Birdie McKenzie celebrated the anniversary of their birthday with a feast at the home of Mrs. McKenzie's parents Sunday.

HAVE NOT REACHED VERDICT

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 30.—No verdict had been returned late tonight in the case of Thomas E. Watson, the Georgia editor charged with sending obscene literature thru the mails, which was given to the jury at 2:30 this afternoon.

NAME JACKSON CAPTAIN

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 30.—Philbrick Jackson of Chicago, tackle on the University of Chicago football team this season, today was elected captain of the eleven for 1916.

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EDWARD N. SARGENT DIES AT HOME IN KEWANEE.

Fall From Steps Hastens His Death—Was Former Resident of Bethel.

Edward N. Sargent died Saturday afternoon at the home of his mother, 320 North Boss street, Kewanee, after an illness of three days. He had been in poor health for more than a year and on Nov. 20 he suffered a fall from the steps at his sister's home in Kewanee which probably hastened his death.

Deceased was born at Bethel, Ill., Sept. 7, 1871 and most of his life was spent in that village. He is survived by his mother and four sisters and three brothers. They are: Mrs. H. C. Bridgman, Chapin, Mrs. A. L. Richmond, Kewanee, Mrs. E. C. Simms, Galesburg, Mrs. C. O. Reno, Browning; John H. and Albert Sargent of Kewanee and James H. Sargent of Chapin. His father and one brother and one sister preceded him in death.

Mr. Sargent was a man who possessed many friends. He was known for his devotion to his aged mother and to her his loss will be most keenly felt. The remains were taken to Chapin for burial. Funeral services were held from the residence of his brother, James Sargent in Chapin Monday and interment was in the family lot in Jordan cemetery.

CARROLLTON JEWELER DEAD.

C. C. Borger, who has conducted a jewelry store in Carrollton for a number of years, died in his residence at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon aged 55 years. He is survived by his wife and three sons, Charles, Otto and Robert. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, I. O. O. F. and M. W. of A.

The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon conducted by Rev. W. B. Shirley, and burial was made in Jerseyville.

THROWS OUT GAMES.

Taylorville, Nov. 29.—The Taylorville High school football team broke a long string of defeats when Prof. R. C. Beals received official word from Champaign the finding of the High School Athletic association, Pawnee High school and the Taylorville High school is forfeited to Taylorville.

All the game in which Welch of Pawnee, aged 22, played with Pawnee are forfeited by that score.

ROAD ISSUES STATEMENT.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—The Pennsylvania railroad company in a detailed statement issued here tonight shows that when the embargo on certain classes of freight was imposed by the company yesterday there were 6,475 carloads of freight for export from New York on the various lines of the company. This total was decreased by 324 car loads today, the remaining 6,151 remaining cars being distributed along the various points on the system. Four hundred and fifty of this total are laden with flour and 125 with lumber, the commodities upon which embargoes have been placed "because of the slowness with which these cars are being ordered for delivery at the terminal point."

VERMONT BANKER ON TRIAL

Rutland, Vt., Nov. 30.—George C. Averill, former president of the Vermont National Bank of Brattleboro, will be placed on trial in the federal court here today in an indictment charging him with making false entries in the books of the bank. There is no charge of misappropriation, but the federal bank examiners claim that the false entries were made to make the reserve and deposits appear somewhat larger than they really were.

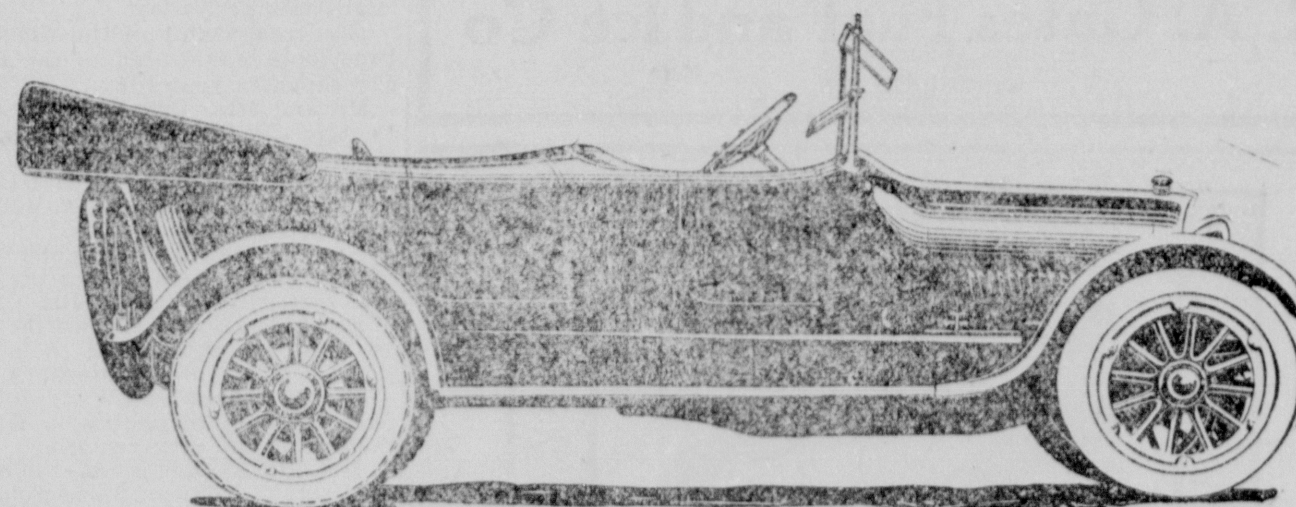
COMMITTEE CLOSING SESSIONS.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The commission on religious prejudices which was opened by the Knights of Columbus today closed its sessions after listening to reports. The chairman announced that the next meeting would be held in Washington, D. C., in January, 1916, and said that much had been accomplished to promote the objects of the commission.

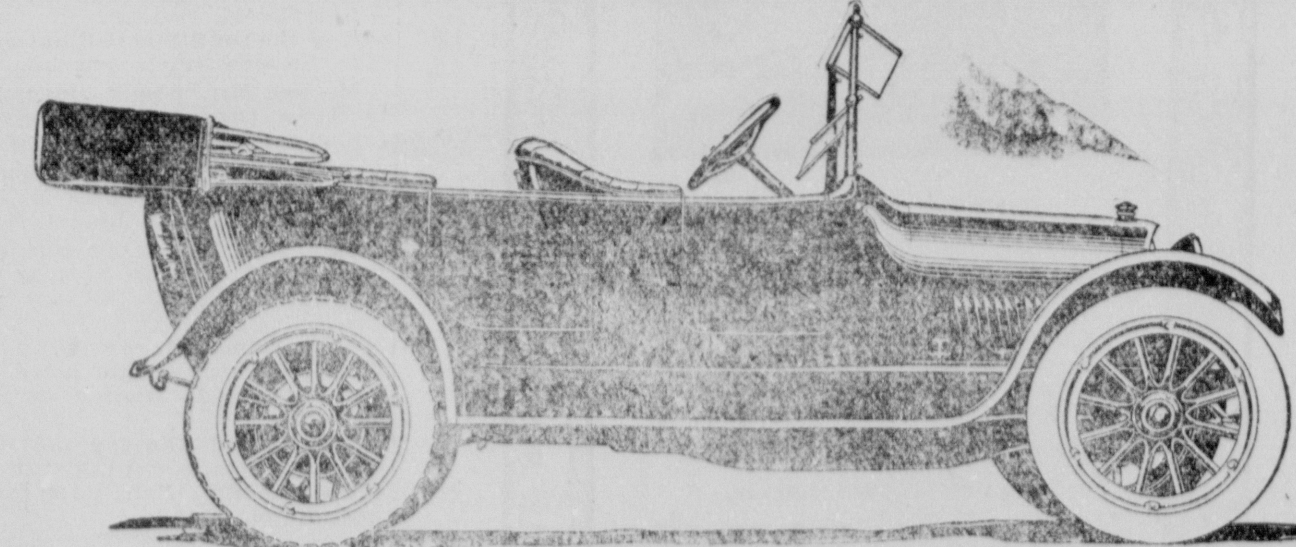
DILLON DEFEATS FLYNN.

New York, Nov. 30.—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis defeated Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, in a ten round bout in Brooklyn tonight. Dillon weighing 155 pounds, knocked out his opponent.

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REUBEN JONES' TRIAL IN PROGRESS AT CIRCUIT COURT

Franklin Resident is Charged With Assault to Kill—Other Court Orders.

The case of the people against Reuben Jones of Franklin charged with assault to kill was in progress before Judge Jones in the circuit court Tuesday afternoon. In this case Jones is charged with assault on John Ryan some time last July. The assault occurred at the house of Ethel Richardson in Franklin where a keg party was in progress. Ryan was stabbed in the arm with such force that the bone was broken and a piece of the knife left embedded in the bone. He also was cut across the breast.

When the case was called for trial Paul Samuelli, attorney for Jones, made a motion to quash the indictment and the same was overruled. Attorney Samuelli then made motion to quash the second count of the indictment and the motion was allowed and the second count quashed. The defendant was then furnished with a copy of the indictment and a list of the jurors and witnesses. Defendant waived arraignment and entered a plea of not guilty. Cause was then again called for trial and both parties answered ready.

The selection of the jury required some time and it was not completed until after 4 o'clock. States Attorney Tilton and Mr. Samuelli were both brief in their statement of the case to the jury. Mr. Tilton is being assisted in the case by Carl E. Robinson. The jury selected to try the case is as follows: William J. Kumble, Cleary Crum, John R. Scott, James Dumphy, Philip Grant, George W. Smith, H. E. Clemons, Owen Magill, A. T. Harrison, Elbridge G. Todd, Wiley Goacher and L. O. Butler.

The court also took up the motion of Elizabeth Carter charged with arson for a continuance. There was some lively sparring between the attorneys on both sides. After hearing the arguments Judge Jones granted a continuance to the February term of the court. As there is no jury for that term the continuance is really until the May term. The above were the only peoples cases taken up Tuesday. The following orders were entered:

Law.
Norman Grant by next friend vs J. Spencer Self. Trespass on the case. Judgment and costs satisfied in full on payment of same to guardian.

Same vs same. Cause settled by agreement or parties and suit dismissed on motion of plaintiff at his costs.

Julius E. Strawn by administrator vs John R. Robertson, trespass on the case. Cause continued for want of service on motion of plaintiff, Phiries writ to issue.

Chancery.
Julius E. Strawn vs John R. Robertson et al. Bill for injunction and relief. Cause referred to master.

George Wood vs Iwen Wood et al. Bill. Leave to complainant to amend bill and make new parties.

Mary Kelly et al vs John J. Doyle et al. Partition. Report of commissioners approved. Decree for sale entered and approved. Complainant's solicitor's fee fixed at \$50 and same to be taxed as costs.

DRAINAGE NOTICE.

To all persons interested: Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the Commissioners of Willow Creek Drainage District have filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, their supplemental petition, praying that an order be entered directing them, as such Commissioners, to construct an additional drainage ditch to be known as "Blue Pond Lateral Ditch," to connect the lands under and adjacent to "Blue Pond" with the main ditch of said District, and that the Court also enter an order directing that a special assessment be levied upon the lands in said District specially benefited by the construction of said proposed work, to pay the cost of the same and the court costs and incidental expenses connected with the levying of said assessment and the laying out and prosecution of said work.

And notice is further given, that the Court has set Wednesday, the 8th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., at the County Court Room in the Court House in Jacksonville, Illinois, as the time and place when and where said petition will be heard and any objections thereto.

Dated this 23rd day of November, A. D. 1915.
C. A. Boruff,
Clerk of the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois.
Worthington, Reeve & Green,
Attorneys for Petitioners.

GRACE CHAPEL ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT

The worthy people of the vicinity of Grace Chapel suffered a great disappointment Thursday night when their entertainment was completely drowned out by the severe storm but they are not going to give up at that and mean to try it again tonight when they will have at the church the proposed entertainment and then adjourn to the nearby home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith for an old fashioned oyster supper. At the church there will be a dialogue by six boys, songs and reciting by the little folks and a good time generally in a formal manner and then the sociability will come at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith when a good time will doubtless be enjoyed and all will earnestly hope that the weather man will be duly propitious this time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Martin of Joy Prairie were visitors yesterday with their sons, the city commissioner and brother.

Some Topics of the Farm

John M. Daub succeeded to the dairy business left by his father and is making a success of it. He has two wood silos which he values highly and says he cuts the corn for them when it is hardly ripe enough to be shocked liking it as green as possible with ripened ears. The silos he finds very valuable and he wouldn't be induced to do without them. For a balanced ration he uses alfalfa or clover hay along with shorts and mill stuff which he finds does well for his cows.

The Lewis Sale.
M. N. Lewis held a public sale Tuesday at his farm eight miles west of Jacksonville which was well attended. Charles Taylor was the auctioneer and H. C. Clement was the clerk. The results of the sale as a whole were satisfactory. Among sales made were the following: Ray Vasey, 4-year old bay horse, \$104; Fred Killam, team of colts, \$125; Wesley Marshall, Jersey cow, \$66; T. H. Stone, two heifer cows at \$35 each; J. W. Wilson, Shorthorn cow, \$70; S. T. Paschall, Shorthorn bull, \$40; Gus LaKamp, four two-year-old steers at \$70 a head; Robert Scott, four yearling steers at \$50 a head; Allan Sturdy, Walter Fearnheyough, H. O. Smith and S. T. Paschall each bought calves. Gus LaKamp, 16 shoats at \$6.50 a head; W. G. Richardson, 15 shoats at \$6.50 a head; J. S. Killam, 7 ewes at \$7.25 a head; Alex Ranson, sow, \$20.50. The implements also sold at fair prices. Lunch was served by the ladies of the Lynnville Christian church.

R. N. Jones, residing west of the city, has a good corn crop this year. He prefers the reliable Reid Yellow Dent article. First he believes in fall or fallow plowing when he takes pains to cut the stalks and plow them well under so as to fertilize and lighten the soil as much as possible. In the spring he disc both ways, drags and harrows so as to get a good seed bed. When the corn is small he rolls and harrows so as to get ahead of the weeds and then cultivates five times if possible. His land is in fairly good condition the some of it has not been in clover for some years but he rotates it with wheat and oats which is better than corn continuously. This year he will have about sixty bushels to the acre which is doing well when the quality of the land is considered. He believes in thorough cultivation and fertilizes as much as possible. As he is not far from town he hauls out a great deal of manure from the city which pays good dividends.

He has had good success with hogs and believes in vaccination. He has a rather unusual breed, the Hampshire Whites, a breed having a white stripe over the shoulders. The breed is somewhat unusual but he and his neighbor, Mitchell Zachary, like them very well. He thinks they are good in various ways; prolific, good rooters and seekers for food, hardy and easily fattened. He generally gets them off at from nine to twelve months and they weigh from 200 to 230 pounds. He feeds to the growing pigs slops for a time which he finds valuable and also uses copperas, ashes, charcoal, soft coal and turpentine in a judicious manner which he finds keeps the animals in good order.

Mr. Jones prefers the long shed with family partitions and finds he can care for the animals in such a structure the best of any way. To raise hogs successfully requires brains and close attention to business as does success in any line.

School on Wheels for Homemakers.
Women of the state will have the opportunity during the coming year, to learn by actual inspection the best kind of equipment that may be placed in their homes.

The Household Science department of the University of Illinois has just completed the equipment of a demonstration car that it will send out to clubs and organizations on the fulfillment of certain conditions.

The department will endeavor by means of this car to emphasize the unity of the farm home. Fine fields of alfalfa and wheat, great herds of cattle and swine, are no longer the whole thing in making up the farm home. The house, where the family dwells, with its power equipment and its water supply is an integral part of the whole and must be so considered.

The car is a regular Pullman without the seats or berths and is being equipped with all sorts and kinds of materials for the home. It will be possible for householders who visit this car to learn the best

methods of running power washing machines, various methods of heating the home, possible arrangements and all kinds of kitchen utensils; color schemes in bedrooms, living rooms and dining rooms will be illustrated as well as the kind of furniture for the same. These are only a few of the many things that the car will include.

Two demonstrators will accompany the car and the equipment will be used in actual demonstration. A movable school or lecture work can be given in addition, if desired, and if a suitable hall is provided.

The department is prepared to receive applications for demonstration service. Among the subjects in regard to which the department is prepared to offer demonstrations are the following: Home Care of the Sick; The Efficient Kitchen; Power Machinery and Labor Saving Devices; Prevention of Disease Thru Personal Hygiene, Home Sanitation and Civic Sanitation; Preservation of Food Canning, Jelly Making, etc.; Draping and Design in Dress; and other subjects equally important.

Moldy Feed Dangerous.
Last winter many hogs were lost in Illinois from feed consumed in cornfields. The attention of farmers is called to the need of taking great care with the grain feed this year as the past summer has been favorable for the development of molds, especially corn and oats. Prevention is the best means of control since no treatment of worth has been devised. Avoid moldy grain, either corn or oats.

C. W. Martin of Joy Prairie vicinity was in the city yesterday and gave some of his experiences which are interesting. This year he has 35 acres of corn and for seed uses both Boone County White and Reid Yellow Dent varieties. He estimates his crop this year at sixty bushels to the acre and a good sample. His land has been out of sod some sixteen years but he takes great pains to maintain the fertility of the soil. He aims never to raise corn more than three times on a field in succession and then into oats, wheat and clover. He generally gets a stand of clover by sowing on wheat and harrowing in or rolling if the ground is dry. He thinks the best results are gained by deep plowing in the fall and in the spring he prefers to plow again rather than depend alone on discing and harrowing. He does not plow so deep as in the fall and after plowing he pulverizes if the season is dry and harrows well always so as to get a good seed bed. The first cultivations are deep and then shallow so as not to disturb the roots of the corn and so he manages to secure the best results.

He generally cuts at least a part of the crop this year hay and grass were so plentiful he didn't cut any. The stalks he likes to cut and turn under if there is a certainty of no bugs or vermin but otherwise he burns them.

For wheat he uses the smooth variety which he thinks best. This year he had forty acres but no crop on half of it and only twenty bushels to the acre on the rest owing to the fearful hail storm which visited his part of the county during the summer.

For hogs he likes the Red Jersey Durocs the best. He regards them as most industrious, more prolific and hardy and good rustlers and competent to care for themselves. He has a long shed with partitions for the families in it but if he were to build again he would have the small, portable houses as they are more

easily kept clean, can be moved at will and do the land more good. He says he feeds fattening hogs three times a day and has them clean up all that is given them and even lets them squeal a little for their food. For growing shoats he likes some slops but thinks good pasture, following cattle, and the like will keep the animals in good condition. He gets his hogs ready for market at eight or nine months and regards 250 pounds each a fair weight this year he had a big bunch, fine and healthy, and at seven months they averaged 160 pounds and he let them go when all was well.

For oats he uses Big Four seed which he likes best. He gets from forty to sixty bushels to the acre.

"BUSTER BROWN" THOMAS

S HELD TO GRAND JURY
Peoria Journal—Leonard (Buster Brown) Thomas, the negro charged with inflicting the knife wound on Ed Glover, who died Saturday night as a result of the wound, this morning refused to testify at the coroner's inquest, and the jury returned a verdict finding that death had been caused by a wound inflicted by Thomas.

Thomas is being held at the county jail and his case will be presented at the next session of the grand jury. Witnesses at the inquest testified that Glover stated on several occasions that the wound had been inflicted by Thomas, and in a dying statement, Glover accused Thomas of inflicting the wound.

The cutting occurred in a South Washington street saloon several weeks ago, but was never reported to the police. According to the witnesses at the inquest Monday morning, Thomas and the dead man were apparently the best of friends and no motive is assigned for the quarrel. The wound was inflicted in the thigh and was not considered serious until it became infected and blood poisoning caused the death.

Thomas, or Buster Brown as he is better known was a resident here for a number of years. While here he never had any serious trouble, though he was always willing to fight.

COLD HANDICAPS WORK.
The men laying the tarvia pavement on South Main street were somewhat handicapped by the cold yesterday but they turned on the steam and other material a jet of steam which soon brought it to a suitable temperature for business.

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"THE ONLY GIRL" AT THE GRAND TONIGHT.
"The Only Girl" the new musical comedy which Joe Weber will present at the Grand tonight is to a certain extent a new type of this popular theatrical fare. In writing the book, Henry Blossom, librettist, has proved what might be termed "a real comedy" which might stand alone without its lyrics which are admittedly of a higher order than usually allotted, and the brilliant score which has been quite so happy in providing tuneful airs as he has in "The Only Girl." In offering this new musical play, Manager Joe Weber engaged a cast which, while there was an absence of so-called "stars" comprised a company that proved notable for its "team work." Among them are: Edna Munsey, Regina Richards, Elsie Baird, Janet McIlwaine, Genevieve Houghton, Leona Stevens, Franklin Farnum, Russell Tennon, Frank Combs, Thomas Burton and Alfred Fisher.

H. A. Sellers of Centralia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

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LITERBERG.

The Methodist Aid will meet the second Wednesday in December with Mrs. Nina Neil, at her home in Arcadia; the members will meet at 11 o'clock in the morning and hold their regular meeting, and afternoon will be given to the bazaar sale. Many pretty and useful articles have been prepared for this annual meeting and every body is invited. There will be garments large and small; towels, handkerchiefs, fancy work of all kinds, dishes, pans, provisions and Christmas candy and popcorn. Every thing of a good quality and up to date; come out ladies and get a bargain at bed rock prices.

The Thanksgiving bazaar and cafeteria lunch proved a perfect success. The chicken pie was done to a turn, the gravy, mashed potatoes, oysters, fruit salad and other edibles, sent out such a flavor, that made everybody want to "taste and see," and of course there was something doing right away. Every thing was nicely arranged and everybody faithful to their place. Those who dictated and those who served, worked as a perfect machine which "ran on high, over any kind of a road." Everybody was hungry and everybody ate; after the first serving was thru, there were piles of all kinds, good ones too, and cake of the richest, and ice cream in abundance.

Along at the last, the basement band to look like old Mother Hubbard's cupboard; but the good ladies would not let attend to the sideboard and replenish everything in a short time. At eight o'clock our official auctioneer, Bert O'royd, took charge of the bazaar and sold every article to the highest and best bidder for cash. Not every one can auction goods successfully and pleasantly, to bring good prices; one must have a knack for the business or they will fall down. Mr. O'royd is a good hand at this business, and soon made a sale of the fancy goods, bringing more than fifty dollars. The management says "thank you" to the worthy auctioneer, and to all other persons far and near who helped make this affair so successful.

There has never been a nicer, more sociable or better arranged affair pulled off in our town for many moons. The Baptist ladies and their helpers deserve great praise for their untiring and efficient work at this Thanksgiving "supper and bazaar." They have the satisfaction of counting ninety six dollars clear of expenses, which will make a good sized war in their treasury.

Among those who attended this supper we noticed, H. J. Rodgers, T. W. Davies, T. H. Buckthorpe, Mrs. G. T. Hollinger and Mrs. J. H. Daniels, all of Jacksonville, and Miss Ilga White of Chapin, who is now teaching at White Oak Grove school house.

Mrs. W. W. Young and children and G. B. Litter returned Saturday from Springfield where they went to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Donald Houston of "Cloverdale Farm" was in town Saturday, and informed us that the Thanksgiving supper at Grace Chapel was completely rained out. Our people sympathize with our sister neighborhood on the west border, for we knew there was much work and money sacrificed on this occasion; we know how they do these affairs at Grace, it is always with a full table and a good supply of workmen; perhaps the next time will be better.

Mrs. Jesse Litter and Mrs. John Daniels gave a Thanksgiving feast at Bonnie Doone cottage on Broadway to their families and the family of Robert Beavers, of Oakdale.

S. W. Nichols and children came out to Sunshine Cottage Thursday morning and spent the day. In the afternoon he proceeded to show to some visitors many rare and beautiful curios from foreign countries, such as ancient coins, glass beads, vases, and other articles from the excavation in Egypt. Books with pages of fine tapestry; pages of painting, not with brush and paint, but beautiful scenery woven into landscape beauty, thread by thread, these from Japan. A small lamp from the Holy Land, a sister lamp to those identical lamps the ten virgins carried in Matthew 25: 1-12. There were beautiful robes of woven silk and gold that were once worn by the aristocracy of China. Mr. Nichols has spent time and money to bring these rare articles to our land, that we might see them and learn more of the far off countries and long ago times. Those present to enjoy this entertainment were Hazel Becker, Alta Crum, Ada Scribner, Mildred Underbrink, Evelyn Hall, Helen Young, Arthur Litter, John

Daniels and Grandpa Beavers. They all gave a vote of thanks to Mr. Nichols.

W. B. Morris, a noted Sunday school worker in the Baptist church, will be with us next Friday afternoon at seven, at the Baptist church, those who have ever heard W. B. Morris give one of his talks, will need on second invitation to come. We have had the pleasure of listening twice to this gentleman and was well paid each time.

George Decker punctured one of his feet with a rusty nail, one day last week and came very near having lock jaw. Dr. Wolfe got the case just in time to save a good deal of trouble. The Doctor treated the patient with anti-tetanus vaccine, and now George is smiling again.

NEW YORK SERVICE SCANDAL BEFORE GOVERNOR WHITMAN
Albany, N. Y., Nov. 30.—The New York Public Service Commission scandal, which was exposed by a legislative investigation committee, comes today before Governor Whitman, who is asked to remove Edward E. McCall, chairman of the commission. It is charged that he had financial interests in public service corporations over which he was exercising official duties for the state that he has been guilty of neglect of duty and that he exceeded his power and used his office for particular advantage and benefit of certain stock interests.

McCall is the first member of the Public Service Commission to go on the gridiron of investigation. The other members of the Commission will be taken up in turn, and will be handled without gloves. They will receive the same treatment as Chairman McCall, it is said, and will have to show a clear record.

Chairman McCall of the Public Service Commission, who faces removal by Governor Whitman, has been a political Jack Horner, because of the many plums he has received. Tammany has always been good to him, and his stock with him despite many disclosures regarding his activities. It is understood, however, that he is now forsaken by Tammany. McCall was connected with the New York Life Insurance Company, when his brother, the late John A. McCall, was President of that concern. An investigation showed that McCall received handsome fees from the insurance company which the Hagges investigating committee declared were "without reason." McCall also figured as a lobbyist, with W. H. Buckley, for the insurance companies. In 1902 McCall went to the Supreme Court bench, thru Tammany power, and he gave receiverships and refereeships to Tammany followers.

Much of the evidence placed before Governor Whitman in the McCall investigation has been published during the hearings. It is claimed that at the time of his appointment to office he was the owner and is still the owner of stock in a corporation subject to his official regulation and supervision, and that he took part in meetings of the commissions where matters were under consideration affecting corporations in which he had a financial interest as a stockholder. Another serious charge is that upon the application of the Edison company to acquire outstanding stock of the Amsterdam Company, he failed to perform his official duties by failing to give the application proper consideration, procured the approval of the application, against the interest of the city of New York and its inhabitants. It is further alleged that he failed as a commissioner to protect and safeguard the interest of the city, of its inhabitants and of stockholders and corporations subject to his official regulation. That he has exceeded his official power and influence for the particular advantage and benefit of certain stock interests and that he has failed to properly or adequately supervise corporations.

DAILY TO GO TO HONOLULU.
West Point, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Lieutenant Charles D. Daly, U. S. A., who for the past three seasons has been head coach for the Army football team will not act in that capacity next fall. He sails on December 5th, from San Francisco to join his command, the first regiment of field artillery, now on duty at Schofield, Honolulu.

George Sturdy of Lynnvillle was a business caller in the city yesterday.

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WOMEN IN THE NEWS

Philadelphia—There is promise of a lively convention fight between the suffragists of this city and those from the western districts of Pennsylvania, when the state convention of the Pennsylvania Woman Suffrage Association opens tomorrow. Philadelphia is blamed for the loss of state-wide suffrage at the polls this fall, and the nominating committee of the association has made up a slate of new officers which carefully excludes Philadelphia women. Mrs. George B. Orlady of Huntingdon, wife of Judge Orlady of the Superior Court, is slated for nomination of president to replace Mrs. Frank M. Roessing of Pittsburgh. The Philadelphia women have carefully planned a coup in retaliation, and it is expected one of their number will be nominated from the floor of the convention. The women of this city resent the charge that they are to blame for the loss of the recent campaign, and will make a bitter fight against any imputation to this effect.

Washington—Diplomatic circles are interested in the recent appointment by Great Britain of a woman to be assistant secretary of the British Legation in Norway. Miss Trevelyan Smith, an ardent suffragist leader, is the woman appointed, and the new precedent of giving a woman a diplomatic appointment is taken here to mean a compliment to the women workers in England and to Norway's pioneer work for equal rights for women. Miss Smith has done notable work since the war began in the management of societies for the relief of soldiers and their families. She joined the heavy pickers in the field to gain first-hand knowledge of working conditions. She went into other fields and factories, and as a result she forced employers to grant better conditions of work, better pay and better protection. The diplomats here are not quaking in their boots, however, for the secret-keeping ability of women, much feared at and joked about in the past, will have to undergo severe proof before appointments are made more generally to women.

Washington—Miss Mary E. Richmond, director of the charity organization department of the Russell Sage Foundation, will be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Associated Charities, to be held here tonight. Miss Richmond is the author of "Friendly Visiting Among the Poor" and "The Good Neighbor in the Modern City," and is recognized as an authority on family rehabilitation work.

Boston—So far as known, the special library devoted to women's vocations and women in industry maintained by the Boston Women's Educational and Industrial Union is the only library of its kind in the United States. Much recent material

representing investigations of conditions of women's employment and of occupations of women makes the collection of value to research workers.

New York—The Daughters of Ohio in New York are holding their annual luncheon today, celebrating the anniversary of the admission of Ohio as a State. Mrs. Charles Burdett, the chairman, has arranged an excellent program. Many Ohio ladies in and near New York will attend the luncheon at the Waldorf.

London—The seventy-first birthday anniversary of Queen Alexandra, mother of King George, will be quietly observed on Wednesday of this week. The Queen mother is actively interested in the big events now going on in Europe, and is out of doors nearly every day. She has continued to keep close control over her household affairs. As the head of the Red Cross Society in England, she has given much of her time during the past year to raising funds for the support of this work.

Chicago—Mrs. Scott Durand, the famous woman dairymaid of Illinois, is the center of a legal tangle in which the state courts, Governor Dunne and the federal authorities find themselves. Her great herd of blooded cattle, valued at \$50,000, was slaughtered recently on orders from Governor Dunne, although she was protected by an injunction issued by the court. She is suing Governor Dunne and others for damages. The live stock men of this city blamed Mrs. Durand for the embargo which many states have raised against Chicago beef. The cause of the rum-pus was the infection of the hoof and mouth disease in cattle, which caused the sacrifice of many herds in order to stem the spread of the affliction. Mrs. Durand stood by her herd, but without avail, and now the courts will have to untie the tangle.

TITUS BUYS ANSELLA.
Lexington, Ky., Nov. 30.—Ansellia, 2:17 1-2, world's champion yearling trotting filly, was sold here today to Lewis H. Titus of Goshen, N. Y. The reported price was \$5,000; Ansellia is by Prince Anall, dam Ha Moko by Moko.

"NOW SO HAPPY" WOMAN SAYS
Mrs. K. S. Reisinger of Decatur Tells How Tanlac Relieved Her.

PRaises MEDICINE.
"I am so happy," Mrs. K. E. Reisinger, of Decatur, said recently to her friends, when discussing Tanlac, the new preparation now being introduced in Jacksonville, and the wonderful results she has obtained from the use of the "Master Medicine."

Mrs. Reisinger resides at 331 North Edwards street, Decatur, Illinois, and has a host of friends in this vicinity.

"I feel like a different woman," she continued, "for the medicine has done me a great deal of good. I have been troubled with my stomach and indigestion for some time. Before I began taking Tanlac, it was difficult for me to prepare a meal without the odor of the food making me sick. My appetite fell off and the little things that I did relish did not seem to agree with me very well. I finally reached a place where I could not sleep at night and when I would get up in the morning I would feel all tired out and sometimes quite weak."

"I saw Tanlac advertised and decided to try a bottle though I must confess that I did so with great misgivings, as I had tried a number of other remedies and had obtained only temporary relief. Much to my surprise after I had taken the first bottle I began to feel better. In a few days my appetite had improved and I was able to eat a great kind of food with great relish. I am no longer restless at night but sleep as peacefully as a baby and feel refreshed and bright when I arise in the morning."

"I am so happy that I want everyone to know of my case and to know of the good Tanlac did me. I am more than glad to recommend this medicine to all my friends and to all others who are suffering as I was."

Mrs. Reisinger's case is typical of thousands of others in Illinois who have taken Tanlac with the most beneficial results.

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WILL LEAVE FINAL ACTION ON BASEBALL QUESTION TO BIG NINE

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Final action on the summer baseball question will be left to the institutions composing the Big Nine conference, even if a vote favorable to abrogation of the rule prohibiting it is taken at the meeting here next Saturday of the faculty representatives according to a statement made today by Dean Albion W. Small, the University of Chicago representative. This is according to the conference rules, the faculty representatives having no final authority on the subject. A majority vote by the representatives however, would place the matter before the Universities' athletic boards where another majority vote according to Dean Small is sufficient for a change.

MAHAN WILL NOT CONSIDER OFFER.
Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 30.—Eddie Mahan, captain of the Harvard football team, said tonight that he would not consider any offer to coach a football team until he finished his course here next June. Friends of the Crimson leader said he had received several proposals from colleges but was treating all alike at the present time.

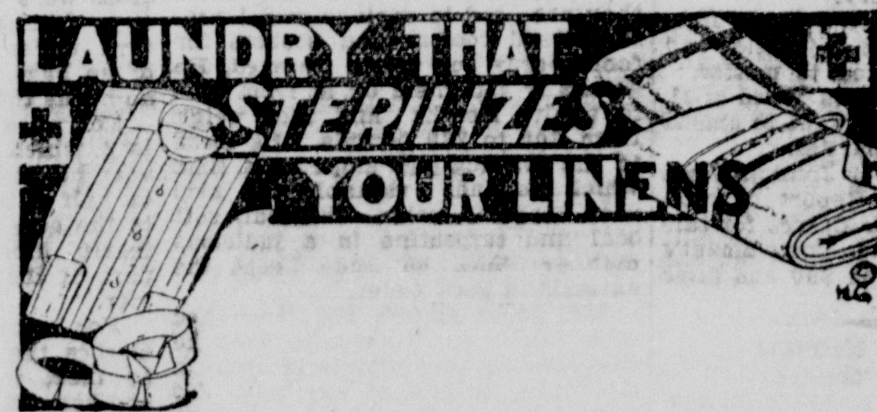
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If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diaepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal then take a little Diaepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diaepsin "really does" regulate weak, out-of-order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

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PACIFIC AGAIN IN BRENNAN'S HANDS

BOUGHT CONTROLLING INTEREST IN HOLSTERY YESTERDAY.

Former Proprietor of Hotel Has Secured Extended Lease—Plans to Make Extensive Improvements—S. M. Campbell Retiring Manager May go on Road Again.

Edw. A. Brennan Tuesday afternoon purchased a controlling interest in the Pacific hotel and took over the management of the property. The transfer brings Mr. Brennan back to active hotel work in Jacksonville and the news of his return will be welcomed by all citizens as he is one of the most popular landlords the city has ever had. Mr. Brennan came to Jacksonville in company with Harry Richardson twelve years ago and purchased the Pacific hotel. They operated in partnership for several years when Mr. Richardson retired and Mr. Brennan assumed full management. During his regime the hotel became one of the most popular in the state, as well as one of the most prosperous. In 1911 he disposed of his interests to Hal C. Foulke and John Spill. He then went to Panama where he was in charge of the Hotel Frances for three years. But he had fallen in love with Jacksonville and he disposed of his holdings in Panama in 1914 and returned here January 1, 1915. He again purchased the Pacific hotel from John Spill. He was in charge until June 1, 1915 when he sold it to S. M. Campbell and associates. Yesterday he again came into possession of the property.

Talking with a reporter for the Journal Tuesday evening Mr. Brennan said: "I am glad to be back in the harness again and glad that I am located in Jacksonville. In taking over the Pacific I was able to get an extended lease on the property. With this lease I will be able to make extensive improvements that would not be possible with a short term lease. I expect to equip every room with new and up-to-date furniture. The building also will undergo repainting and redecorating and probably some changes will be made in the arrangement of the building."

"While no definite plans have been made it is probable that in the near future the hotel will be operated on the European plan. If I decide to make this change it will become effective about Jan. 1, 1916."

S. M. Campbell who has served the Pacific in the capacity of landlord since June 1, has made many friends among the traveling fraternity. While Mr. Campbell has not made definite plans it is understood that he will again take up his old business of traveling salesman. Mr. Campbell has many friends here who hope that he will continue to make this city his home.

Mr. Brennan will make no changes in his office force. Ben Miller, who was with Mr. Brennan for several years, and who recently came here from East St. Louis to act as day clerk for Mr. Campbell will continue in the position. Mr. Miller is one of the best known hotel men in the country and is popular with both traveling fraternity. Ned Alexander will continue in the position of night clerk, a position which he has filled acceptably for several months.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed proposals for the erection of a library building for the Public Library Board of the City of Griggsville, Illinois, will be received by the Secretary of the Board, Mr. John S. Feimley, Griggsville, Illinois, until Monday, Dec. 6, 1915, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

Further requirements may be seen from the plans and specifications which may be had of the Architects, 317 Unity Building, Springfield, Illinois, or from the Secretary, Griggsville, Illinois.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals.
By order of the Library Board,
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THE CAUSE OF ANAEMIA

It is universally known that iron is a very important element of the blood, and lack of it is the direct cause of run-down conditions and anaemia. It may interest our readers to know that Lee P. Alcott, of this town, has in Vinol a reliable, constitutional remedy for such conditions. Vinol supplies iron to the blood in its most soluble state, then there's the nourishing properties of beef peptone and the medical extractives of fresh cod livers, without oil, all dissolved in a pure native tonic wine. That's what makes Vinol so successful in overcoming run-down and anaemic conditions.—Adv.

CAPT. MACE SEEKS INFORMATION

Capt. Mace of the Salvation army in making his preparations for Christmas is desirous of learning the names of families that need food or clothing. Capt. Mace wishes to secure not only the names and addresses of such families but wishes the persons who give the information to leave also their names and addresses. This is necessary in order that the proposed distribution of food and clothing may be checked up and that only worthy cases may be aided.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Whiteman will be held this forenoon at 10:30 o'clock at Shiloh church. Burial will be made in Hebron cemetery.

LAKE LINES FREED FROM RAILROAD CONTROL

Real Competition Next Season Will Benefit Shippers.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The freeing of the steamboat lines on the Great Lakes from the control of the railroads, which is effected tomorrow by order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in compliance with the Panama Canal Act, marks a radical advance toward competition in freight traffic in the great ore and grain producing states. The commission has decided that the benefit of the great chain of waterways has redounded to the private advantage of railroad lines, and that the natural advantages of the lake traffic, instead of bringing economies to the shipper, have actually led to higher rates under the domination of the railroads.

When the lake steamboat season opens next Spring, a new era in shipping is anticipated by the merchants associations along the lakes, and some substantial decreases in carrying charges are assured. The railroads have been ordered to dispose of their lake lines by December 1, and nearly all of the lines have accepted the inevitable. Those who still own their boats on the lakes will dispose of them to the highest bidders, and it is said they will bring good prices from independent owners who will come into prominence.

The influence of the railroad-owned boat lines on commerce, which moves East and West thru the Great Lakes ports, has been marked. Beginning in 1902, eastern trunk lines, such as the Pennsylvania, New York Central and Lehigh Valley began to gain control of the lake lines. Steady increases of rates followed until the lake route was made the least attractive to shippers, because a small difference in rates will divert traffic to the thru rail routes to avoid rehandling. Many of the traffic associations along the lakes have contended since 1910 that the lake lines should be independent, and they fought for this measure when the Panama Canal Act was up in Congress.

Early this year, the railroads submitted the question to the Interstate Commerce Commission, which decided against them. It was decreed that none of the lake line services maintained by the petitioning railroads "is being operated in the interest of the public or is of advantage to the convenience of commerce of the people," within the meaning of the law.

The lake lines, the Commission points out, have been shorn of their initial rate-making power because of their control by the railroads, and are but concurring carriers. "No doubt," the Commission stated, "under joint operation certain economies can be effected, but these economies have not manifested themselves in a reduced lake and rail transportation cost of the public. Instead of any reduction in lake and rail rates, they have been steadily advanced under joint ownership."

"As a direct result of this rate policy of the owning railroads, the lake boats have operated with small cargoes, altho their operating expense was almost as great as if they had been fully loaded. The railroad control of these boat lines cannot be said to be in the public interest when the policy of these railroads has been by artificial rate structure, to deprive the public of the natural benefit that would flow from the free use of this waterway."

LAST ITALIAN RESERVE CONTINGENT IS OFF

New York, Nov. 30.—The last contingent of Italian reservists in the United States is embarking here today, and all those summoned for duty who fail to account for themselves will be classed as deserters. Even the excuse of physical inability to fight is not accepted if the reservists are in shape for home guard or other service.

THREE CLUBS SEEK TITLE

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Three clubs are seeking the 1916 western amateur golf championship. It was announced today, bids having been received from the DelMonte Golf and Country Club of DelMonte, Cal., the Midlothian Club of Blue Island, Ill., and the Omaha Country Club.

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The best methods of treatment for many diseases cannot be administered without the facilities of a modern hospital.

The healthiest person in the community may be a patient in the hospital before tomorrow thru disease or accident.

Your hospital should be built for the sick and injured, and not for the trustees, doctors, or nurses—they are only a part of the necessary equipment.

Our modern hospital is just as much a necessity to the rich man as to the poor man, for without it he cannot at all times have access to the best treatment and care.

It is just as important to yourself and family that you make a liberal contribution to Passavant hospital as it is to pay your life, health and accident insurance premiums.

A large electrically illuminated clock, in a prominent position on the square will register every day the progress of the campaign.

Encourage the workers. Give as generously as you can. The first payment is not due until March 1, 1916. One minute to say it. Twenty months to pay it.

Some one is coming to see you during the ten-day campaign to secure your pledge for the hospital building. Have your latch-string out, your fountain pen in working order, and give them the glad hand.

Short Term Hospital Campaigns.
Mr. Vernon N. Y., asked \$100,000, raised \$106,095.

Wheeling, W. Va., asked for \$250,000, raised \$262,765.

Wheeling has just raised \$250,000 more in a recent campaign for the same hospital.

Plainfield, N. J., asked for \$100,000, raised \$132,176.

Flushing, N. Y., asked for \$100,000, raised \$109,211.

Staten Island, N. Y., asked for \$100,000, raised \$141,466.

Aurora, Ill., asked for \$100,000, raised \$113,475.

Orange, N. J., asked for \$150,000, raised \$164,623.

Englewood, N. J., asked for \$90,000, raised \$131,249.

Yonkers, N. Y., asked for \$110,000, raised \$122,234.

New Rochelle, N. Y., asked for \$90,000, raised \$98,275.

Newark, N. J., asked for \$130,000, raised \$141,491.

Port Chester, N. Y., asked for \$100,000, raised \$112,116.

OHIO CORN BOYS AT CAPITAL

Washington, Nov. 30.—The Ohio Corn Boys, who represent the cream of the coming farmers of the Buckeye State, arrived in Washington this morning, and they will be royally entertained. Tomorrow they will be received by President Wilson, and Ohio senators and congressmen will entertain them.

THE MOST WIDESPREAD DISEASE IN THE WORLD

The most widespread disease in the world today is that dread affliction of the teeth called pyorrhea. Nine out of every ten grown persons have it to some extent. You may have it and be unaware of it. Why? Because scientists have proved that the cause of this disease is a germ which inhabits every human mouth, and that thousands have this disease and do not realize it until it reaches the advanced stages of bleeding gums and loose teeth.

Accept the advice dentists everywhere are giving and take special precautions in your daily toilet against this disease. To meet the need for such a daily treatment and to enable everyone to take the necessary precautions against this disease, a prominent dentist has put his own prescription before the public in the convenient

ALEXANDER SCHOOLS TO RE-OPEN TODAY

On account of the prevalence of throat trouble among children of the Alexander school it was thought best to close the building for two days and thoroughly fumigate the premises lest the epidemic become general.

The work was done at the suggestion of Dr. Wade H. Schott, and with the opening of school this morning, no recurrence of the trouble is thought probable. One case of smallpox was reported a few days since north of the village but there has been no spread of this disease. C. W. Andrews is principal of the school and Miss Katherine Dailey, teacher.

PITTSBURGH CHALLENGES CORNELL

Pittsburgh, Nov. 30.—The football team of the University of Pittsburgh tonight challenged the Cornell eleven for a game to determine the Eastern championship. Neither team lost a game during the season just closed.

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IT WAS HIS BIRTHDAY

In mentioning the item regarding the present of the Rapp Brothers coterie to Mayberry Walter, the Journal reporter failed to state that the occasion was the worthy gentleman's 79th birthday. The writer failed to hear that part of the story from his informant. Mr. Walter felt pardonably of his gifts and thankful to the generous givers.

T. O. Dietz of Deatur was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

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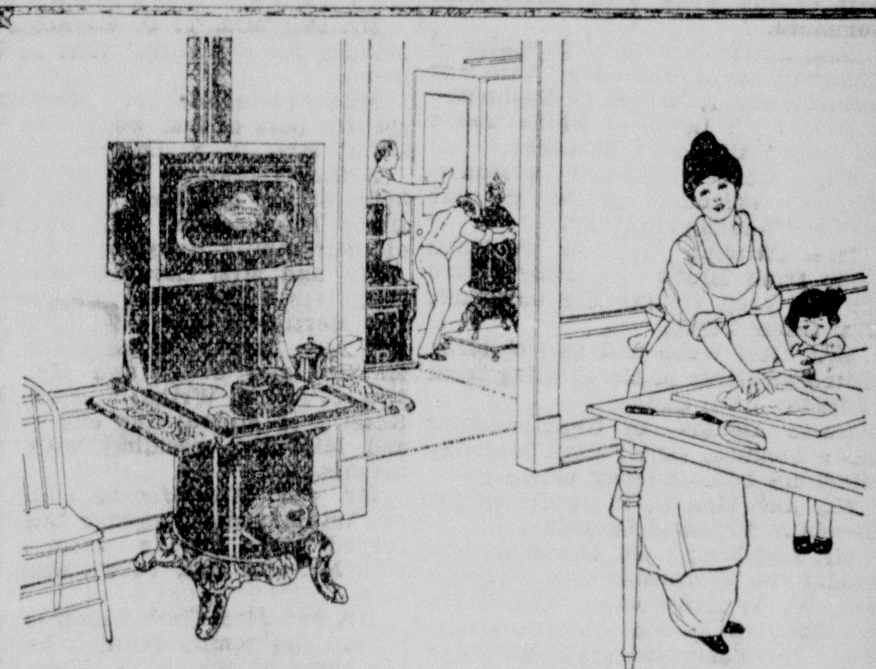
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MEMORIALS.

Mrs. Beverly Curry of Mt. Sterling, Mrs. W. T. Hedenburg of Versailles and Mrs. John Seans and grand-daughter, Wilma Garrett of Pueblo, Colo., arrived Friday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. J. H. Looman. It has been twenty-four years since Mesdames Hedenburg and Looman have seen their sister, Mrs. Seals. The reunion of the four sisters was a joyous one.

Mr. and Mrs. George Unland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Unland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Unland attended a silver anniversary celebration at Virginia on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. John Dugan, son and daughter of Winchester and Miss Elsie Dyer of Hillview spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Texa Summers.

Mrs. Leslie Jarvis and daughter of Timewell spent Thursday with the former's sister, Mrs. N. C. Bushnell.

Mrs. J. C. Lewis of Bluffs was a business visitor here Saturday.

The Concert Band discoursed some splendid music on our streets Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Caroline Graham returned home from Bluffs Saturday where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Omer Doyle.

Mrs. Otis Webb and two children visited relatives in Mt. Sterling from Thursday until Sunday.

Harry Dennis of Chambersburg was a business visitor here Saturday returning home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hollis visited friends in Pittsfield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Looman spent Sunday in Versailles with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hedenburg. They were accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. John Seals and grand-daughter of Pueblo, Colo., who remained with her sister, Mrs. Hedenburg for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hollis and daughters Vida and Zera returned to their home in Macomb Monday after several days visit with Mrs. Hollis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fields.

Miss Ethel Butler visited with Miss Leta Seibert near Barry from Wednesday until Monday.

Mrs. T. C. Pond is visiting relatives in New Berlin.

Miss Georgia Graham visited Thanksgiving day with Misses Ivy and Nina Pond.

Arthur Dunn was a business visitor in Decatur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd and Mrs. John Easley were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Troxell of Springfield have been the guests of Mrs. Troxell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duer.

Edward Schaefer conducted a funeral in Chapin Monday.

Miss Rose Ring of Arenzville visited her sister, Mrs. Harvey Meyer the latter part of the week.

Charles and Bert Chrisman and Ray Harvey of Merrill were hunting here Saturday.

Mrs. C. P. Hedrick attended the funeral of her grand father at Glasgow last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bollyard and daughters, Eleanor and Helen ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wax of Markham.

Wilbur Hale of Springfield is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sargent returned Sunday from a visit in Jacksonville.

Miss Nina Pond returned home Monday from a visit with friends in Bluffs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams of Benton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Dunn.

Mrs. Charles Bonnett of Bluffs visited Sunday with Mrs. Will Meier.

Sam Kuhlman has purchased the roller skating rink from Joseph Peters and will continue to run it.

Misses Lena Battlefield and Ina Mayes spent Sunday with friends in Bluffs.

The ladies of the Methodist church realized about \$46 for serving their Thanksgiving dinner.

Misses Kathleen Graham and Paul, Joe Wingham visited friends in Mt. Sterling Friday.

Harry Thompkins arrived home Monday from delivering a car load of live fish to New York markets.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pelke living a mile northeast of this city are mourning the death of their sixteen months old son, which occurred Sunday. The little one has had the whooping cough and developed a case of pneu-

monia which caused its death.

Miss Greta Looman returned home Sunday evening from a visit with relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Misses Nina Roe and Ruth Sentney returned home Sunday from a visit in Chapin.

Mrs. Clarence Seibert of Berry is visiting her mother, Mrs. McAllister and other relatives here.

Mrs. Mattie McAllister of Hannibal is visiting at the home of her son Clyde.

Mrs. John Risor returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb and two children of Quincy visited Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyde.

ASBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Reynolds left Monday for a month's visit in California.

Miss Bessie Rea of Murrayville spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs. R. Y. Gibson.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mortimer Thanksgiving day when all of their family were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmore and daughters Helen and Lucile, and son Mortimer of Roodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strang and sons Maurice and Carey and Mr. and Mrs. C. Justus Wright and son John Edward of Murrayville and Carl O. and Miss Eva residing with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cline and son William and daughter Lucile returned home Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pevey, near Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough attended the family reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hembrough in South Jacksonville Thanksgiving day.

Miss Grace Gibson returned home Monday after a pleasant visit with Miss Lyndal Rea near Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hembrough and daughter Marie and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hembrough were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deal near Sinclair.

WAVERLY.

Mrs. Amanda Bevia, who had made an extended visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. Henry Hall, returned to her home in Pekin Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Hall, who came back Monday.

Mrs. Eliza Andrews was called to Dow Monday by the serious illness of her sister.

Fred E. Deatherage was in the St. Louis market with a car of cattle the first of the week.

Miss Leona Martin of Auburn is visiting this week with Waverly friends.

Mrs. George Nevius returned to her home in Virden Monday, having visited since Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hopson.

Miss Myra Cline, teacher of the third grade of the Waverly public school, is ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Amelia Parkin and daughter Miss Bertha of Litchfield spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

The Morgan County Sunday School association held a Sunday school rally Monday afternoon and evening in the Congregational church.

George Hale left Monday for eyesport, where he will act as operator for the Burlington.

Miss Altha Epling spent last Thursday and Friday in Middletown, visiting her sister, Mrs. Abner Hall, and family.

ARCADIA.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the parcel post sale and cafeteria supper given by the Ladies Aid of the Baptist church of Litterberry Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. L. Rexroat entertained a number of her relatives at a Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday.

H. W. Dinwiddie shipped in a car load of fine calves last week to fatten.

James Gish and family spent the week end visiting relatives in Beardstown.

Ellis Thompson and family spent Sunday with M. C. Thompson and family of Jacksonville.

Mrs. H. H. Rudisill and daughter and Mrs. John Koehnle of Virginia spent Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Rudisill.

The Saturday Night club met with Mrs. Levi Deatherage last meeting night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rexroat entertained at their home Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Branch Wade and daughter and Mrs. Sargent and children of Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shrewsbury and children and Mr. Wade of Arenzville.

Mrs. J. J. Clark is on the sick list.

Jed Vincent and family spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John White of North Prairie.

Several of the farmers of this neighborhood did their butchering last week.

R. R. Rudisill killed a beef last Wednesday.

Mrs. Barbara Challiner spent the holidays with her brother, Eugene Hart of Virden.

Mrs. C. E. Clark spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. J. Clark.

Mrs. H. W. Dinwiddie is slightly indisposed.

PISGAH.

The funeral of Albert Cox was held at Sulphur Springs church last Friday morning in charge of Rev. Ansel Conlee. Interment was in the cemetery at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Foster of Minnesota are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conlee.

Born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Davis, a son.

Mrs. Richard Coker and Mrs. T. M. Stubblefield visited a few days last week in Springfield.

Mrs. Iven Cox has been very sick for the past week but is reported better at this writing.

The funeral of Mrs. James Davenport of Jacksonville was held at Union Baptist church last Wednesday in charge of Rev. Percy Stephens and burial was in Union Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Masters expect to spend the winter with their son, William and wife, in Jacksonville.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Will Wright and son Thurman were in Jacksonville Monday consulting a physician.

George Roach who has been seriously ill is improving steadily.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roach spent Saturday night at John Roach's home.

Misses Vivian Haynes and Martha Seymour spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Massie were Saturday shoppers in Springfield.

Nora and Marie Thompson of the east side spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Springfield.

The meetings which were in progress for the past three weeks at the M. E. church closed Sunday night. There were no professions of faith made but the community in general has felt the good of having such a meeting in their midst. Prof. Horace Kurtz organized a chorus choir Saturday which expects to continue its meeting and add to the social life of the city.

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Misses Ivy Brown and Mary Corrigan spent the last of the week with Mrs. J. B. Wright.

Miss Bessie Hart, assistant principal in the Murrayville schools, spent Thursday night and Friday in the city.

Elgin Olinger, student in the Illinois college, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Olinger.

Misses Eunice Woods and Rebecca Schiebel of Illinois college, spent Friday at J. P. Woods'.

MURRAYVILLE.

C. F. Wright and family moved last week to the A. M. Masters farm northeast of town.

H. M. Wyatt came home Wednesday from the state hospital in Jacksonville where he has been receiving treatment and is much improved.

Mrs. Carl Rousey visited relatives at White Hall and Greenfield last week.

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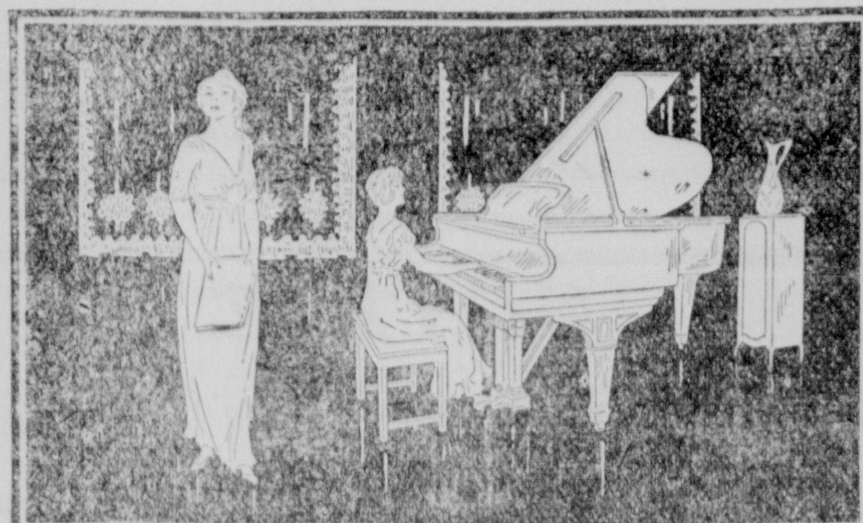
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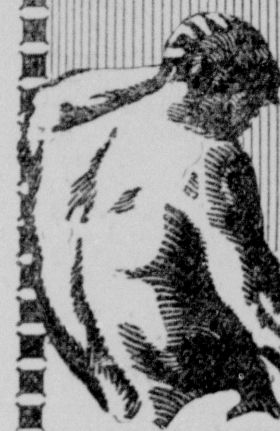
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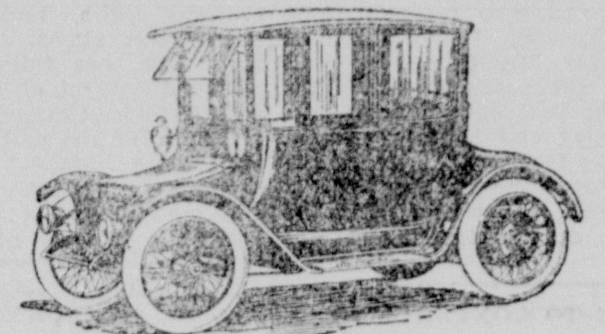
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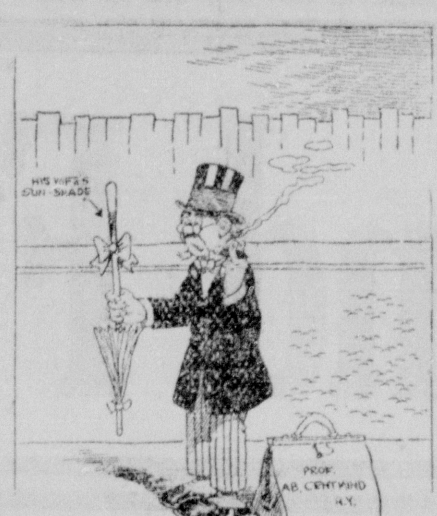
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WANTED—To put celluloid glass in your auto curtains. Kilian, Auto painter, Wheeler & Sorrell's garage. 11-5-15mc

WANTED—Home in private family when not nursing; will do housework for board and lodging. Bell phone 517. 11-23-15

WANTED—All members of Unity Grove Camp No. 132 M. W. of A. to attend a meeting Friday, Dec. 3. Election of officers. 11-30-15

WANTED—Carpenter or contractor to estimate cost of building private residence in Jacksonville. Write T. Nielson, 2104 Milwaukee Ave., Chicago. 12-1-15

WANTED—Home for bright boy 8 years old, where he can go to school and make himself useful about the house. Apply Associated Charities, Room 5 Unity Building. 11-28-15

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Ill. phone 1222. 11-30-15

WANTED—Men on S. Main street paving. Wages, 20c an hour. 11-12-15

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WANTED—Married man to work on farm, also single man. Bell phone, Alexander 23-11. 12-1-15

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and good barn. 329 South Clay. Illinois 612. 11-18-15mo

FOR RENT—Furnished room, in modern home; desirably located, opposite Conservatory of Music, 209 So. Fayette St. 11-28-15

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, light housekeeping, modern home, 415 East North. Bell phone 871. 11-21-15

FOR SALE—Mammoth thoroughbred White Holland turkeys. Mrs. Oral Rexroat, R. F. D. 4, Bell phone 58-12 Literberry. 12-1-15

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping, separate entrances and good barn. 329 South Clay. Illinois 612. 11-18-15mo

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, 509 Sandusky street. 11-30-15

FOR SALE—Two good hogs. 1109 West Morton. 11-30-15

FOR SALE—Boiler and engine. Inquire Grand Laundry. 11-6-15

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Buff Rock chickens. J. L. Emrick, Chapin. 11-14-15mo

FOR SALE—Dry corn cobs. City Elevator. Illinois phone, 8; Bell phone 176. 11-26-15

FOR SALE—A lot of fresh cows; call Bell phone 639 or Ill. phone 1043. 11-14-15

FOR SALE—Good whiskey barrels, fit for cider, \$2 each. The Thompson Produce Co. 11-23-15

FOR SALE—Cholera immune Duroc boars. Ill. phone 693. David Low, Illinois, Rural Route 3. 11-14-15

FOR SALE—Fancy hand picked apples, all kinds cheap at the farm. Stansfield Baldwin. Ill. phone 663. 11-28-15

FOR SALE—Some good Duroc boars and gilts, cholera immune. L. A. Reid, Illinois phone 972. 11-21-15

FOR SALE—Fresh sweet cider, made from hand picked apples. S. Baldwin, Illinois phone 663. 11-27-15

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Poland China male hog; been thru cholera. A. H. Megginson. Bell phone 969-4. 11-28-15

FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels. Mrs. Edward Armstrong, Rural Route 3. Bell phone 928-4. 11-21-15

FOR SALE—A five years old driving horse. Seventeen hands high and lots of speed. Inquire 533 East Morton ave. 11-13-15

FOR SALE—Guaranteed fresh eggs. Fancy dressed milk fed poultry, hens and broilers. Southern Slops Poultry farm, T. M. Stubbins. Bell phone 970-3. 10-19-15mo

FOR SALE—To settle an estate, 35 acres, just out of the city limits, northeast of town. 300 East Lafayette. Illinois phone 377. 11-19-15

FOR SALE—One extra good 2 year old registered Shorthorn bull, sired a son of Imported Banff. F. V. Correa, Manchester, Ill. 11-27-15

FOR SALE—Illinois farms, 40 to 400 acres, \$60 to \$185.00 per acre; terms, but no trades. Call on or address T. T. Hollingsworth & Son, Palmyra, Ill. 11-23-15

FOR SALE—101 acres, well improved, one-fourth mile from city limits on hard road. Apply to J. A. Campbell, Executor, or any of the Baldwin heirs. 11-23-15mo

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in Morgan county; good improvements, well located. Price under \$200 an acre; will leave a big loan at a reasonable rate of interest. F. L. Hargrove. 11-24-15

FOR SALE—Stock and fixtures, including counters, stools, tables, chairs, linoleum, ice boxes, cooking utensils, cash register, typewriter, dishes, silverware and table linen. Grand Cafe. 11-23-15

FOR SALE—Over 100 tons this year's corn ensilage on Mrs. W. S. Jones' farm west of end of street car line on Mound Road. Write Mrs. W. S. Jones, 110 N. Lake Ave., Pasadena, Cal. 11-9-15

FOR SALE—Seven fine business lots 25x150 feet. A sub-division of Billy Sunday lots, corner North East and Court streets. Two corner lots, \$1,500 each. Inside lots, \$1,200 each. One half down, balance time, 6 per cent. Mrs. W. S. Jones, 710 N. Lake Ave., Pasadena, Cal. 11-9-15

FOR RENT—The Dr. Weirich office rooms in Cherry Apartments. Apply Sherry's Livery. 12-3-15

FOR RENT—In South Jacksonville, new 4 room cottage. T. L. Cannon. 626 South Diamond Street. 11-26-15

FOR RENT—Four room house, furnace, garden, fruit, good location. Address W. X., care Journal. 11-24-15

FOR RENT—Seven room modern house; steam heat furnished free. Apply Cook's Planting Mill. 12-4-15

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping, separate entrances

reasonable. Illinois phone 50-643; 11-4-15mo

E. J. RIRDELL and O. H. Martin, second-hand furniture store, 216 N. Sandy, will buy and sell. Call and see us. 11-23-15

FOR QUICK, CAREFUL Parcel Delivery service and baggage transfer, call Alvin Ahlquist, either phone 850. (Cherry's Livery.) 12-4-15

5 PER CENT MONEY to loan on Improved farms. Correspondence invited. Matheny, Dixon and Company, Ridgely Bank Building, Springfield, Illinois. 11-22-15

WE HAVE 300 TONS LUMP Springfield Coal that we will sell at \$1.75 on the ground, 1-1/2 miles east of the city. Illinois phone 50-289. Lee Perkins. 11-30-15

FARM TO EXCHANGE FOR BUSINESS—Nice 92 acre farm in this vicinity, lays smooth, improved, \$125 acre, prefer general store or mens wear, stock of about \$6,000. Lock box 75, Macomb, Ill. 11-23-15

WOODS' CARRIAGE AND BAGGAGE Line. Order for all traveling and special occasions. Prompt and reliable service at all times. Both phones 174. Office at 219 East Court St. 12-5-15

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Fox Terrier dog, one black eye, answers to the name of Bob. Reward. Illinois phone 427.

TO LEND—\$12,000, \$10,000, \$7,000, \$5,000 on farms. W. E. Welch, 402 Ayers Bank Bldg. 11-28-15

LOST—Gold pin between W. North street and Passavant hospital. Return to Journal office. Reward. 11-30-15

LOST—Scotch Collie pup, 5 months old. "Rex, 815 W. College Ave." on collar. Reward for return. T. J. Packard. 12-1-15

LOST—Or strayed, pointer bird dog, brown head, and brown spots on body; right eye effected. Reward. Notify George T. McKee, 411 North Fayette. Ill. 1331. 11-28-15

LOST—Feld bill book containing about \$35, with name J. N. Conover, between Widmayer's meat market and Pacific hotel. Reward for return to Journal office. 11-28-15

LOST—In front of Billy Sunday lot on East Court street a three drop amethyst lavalier. Reward for return to 420 East State street. 11-17-15

Dead Stock Removed Free of Charge

From within a radius of 20 miles if you have anything in this line please phone, during the day, BELL 215-ILL355.

After 6 p. m. or on Sunday call Bell 511 or Ill. 934.

JACKSONVILLE REDUCTION WORKS
(East of Jacksonville Packing Co. and north of Springfield Road.)

The Home Pantitorium
213 North Main St.
Cleaning, Dyeing, Pressing
Satisfactory Service
Guaranteed.
ILLINOIS PHONE 1471

NEAL INSTITUTE CO.
(THE HABITS, DRINK OR DRUG, QUICKLY CURED)
FRED TOOKER, Manager
Bell Phone 6468 Springfield, Ill.

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.
Chicago & Alton.

North Bound—
Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago. 6:20 am
Peoria-Bloomington Acc. 6:50 am
From St. Louis. 11:50 am
Chicago "Red Hammer" 1:52 am
No. 30, St. Louis train, arrives. 8:50 pm
South and West Bound—
Alton-Nightingale to Kansas City. 3:28 am
St. Louis Accom., daily. 6:05 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local. 10:10 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. 3:30 pm
Kansas City Express. 8:28 pm
Wabash.

East Bound—
No. 72 local frgt. ex. Sun. 11:20 am
No. 12. 9:45 pm
No. 62, daily. 6:25 pm
No. 28, daily. 1:53 am
No. 4, daily. 8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.

West Bound—
No. 36, daily. 7:49 am
No. 35, returns. 11:21 am
No. 28, leaves. 3:09 pm
No. 37, arrives. 7:26 pm
Burlington Route.

North Bound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday. 11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday. 4:30 pm
South Bound—
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday. 6:55 am
No. 48, daily, ex-Sunday. 2:08 pm

MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 12-1-15

FOR ELECTRICAL WORK see J. M. Doyle, 218 West Court. Illinois phone 584. 10-19-15mo

PAINTING, Rubber Tires, Wood Work, Buggy Repairs, Burrows, Keemer Building. 12-7-15mo

TO LEND—Special: \$150, \$200 and \$400 on Jacksonville property. The Johnson Agency. 11-27-15

SAFETY FIRST—Order Kennedy's carriage for all trains. Prices

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

EXPECTED GENEROUS DELIVERIES INCREASE BEARISH SENTIMENT

Result Is An Unsettled Close at a 1/2-Cent Net Decline—Corn and Oats Finish at a Loss.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Expected generous deliveries here tomorrow on December contracts tended today to increase bearish sentiment regarding wheat. The result was an unsettled close at 1/2 cent net decline with December \$1.05 and May \$1.07 1/2.

Corn finished 3/4 cent to 1/2 cent down, oats 3/8 cent and provisions unchanged to 1/2 cent lower.

Altho the market at first followed no decided course but fluctuated nervously both sides of yesterday's wind-up, pressure later from strong interests developed to a sufficient extent to put prices gradually on the downgrade.

Apparent absence of any urgent export call was responsible to some extent for the late weakness of the wheat market. It was not until after trading had come to an end that announcement was made of European buying of domestic wheat aggregating the handsome total of 1,250,000 bushels chiefly Duluth and Durum. In this connection the fact was of interest that receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth had noticeably dropped off.

Corn went down in value owing to excellent weather for curing the crop.

Oats were depressed by the action of corn. Lower prices on hogs weakened provisions.

Chicago Livestock Market
HOGS.
Receipts, 47,000.
Market weak, 10c to 30c lower.

Bulk \$6.10 @ 6.50
Light 5.70 @ 6.55
Mixed 6.00 @ 6.90
Heavy 6.35 @ 6.90
Rough 6.35 @ 6.50
Pigs 3.75 @ 5.60

CATTLE.
Receipts, 7,000.
Market weak.

Native beef steers \$5.65 @ 10.50
Western steers 6.20 @ 8.30
Cows and heifers 2.70 @ 8.00
Calves 6.50 @ 10.50

SHEEP.
Receipts, 10,000.
Market strong.

Wethers 6.10 @ 6.60
Ewes 4.10 @ 6.10
Lamb 7.00 @ 9.25

Furnished by James E. Fennett & Co.
Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat.
Dec. 1.05 1.06 1.04 1.05
May 1.08 1.08 1.07 1.07

Corn.
Dec. .64 .64 .64 .61
May .68 .68 .68 .68

Oats.
Dec. .41 .41 .41 .41
May .44 .44 .43 .43

Pork.
Dec. 16.12 16.20 15.75 15.75
Jan. 17.85 17.87 18.55 17.50
May 17.90 17.90 17.60 17.52

Lard.
Jan. 9.50 9.50 9.27 9.27
May 9.72 9.72 9.50 9.52

Ribs.
Jan. 9.60 9.60 9.40 9.42
May 9.82 9.82 9.57 9.50
Nov. 10.50 10.50 10.50 10.50

Monday's close—Wheat: Dec. \$1.05 1/2

AN EXHIBITION and FUR SALE

WM. H. MILLER & COMPANY of DETROIT

One of the Largest Fur Manufacturers in America, has Consigned to Us for

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 and 4

\$20,000 WORTH OF FURS

Mr. J. E. Jackson, representing William H. Miller & Company, will be here during this sale and will be glad to give you his personal attention in helping you make your selections.

**During This Sale You Can Save From ONE-THIRD to ONE-HALF
on the Regular Fur Prices!**

Do not miss this Grand Opportunity of seeing the great exhibition of Furs consisting of:

**FUR COATS, FUR MUFFS
and FUR SETS**

In all the latest novelties and creations made from Ermine, Bulgarian Lynx, White Siberian Fox, Russian Fitch, Blended River Mink, Civit Cat, Alaska Seal, Hudson Seal, Brilliant Seal, Leopard Chincilla, Sable Opossum, Natural Opossum, Red Fox, Sitka Mink, Jap Mink, German Marten, Pointed Fox, Beaver, Blue Flying Fox, Black Poney, Marmot.

Fur Muffs from \$3 to \$200

Fur Sets from \$5 to \$300

Fur Coats from \$25 to \$500

It is fortunate for us and the people of Jacksonville and vicinity that this store has been able to arrange for a Fur Sale of this character, as we will be in a position to show you not only the greatest line of Furs ever shown here, but at prices far less than their real value. Owing to the world's greatest war there has been little demand for Furs in Continental Europe, therefore American Furs are cheaper this year than ever before.

Don't Forget the Date, Friday and Saturday of this Week

PHELPS @ OSBORNE

The Christmas Store

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS

The Christmas Store

The Ayers National Bank

Of Jacksonville

Statement as Reported to the United States Government at the Close of Business Nov. 10, 1915

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,575,556.09
Overdrafts	12,073.94
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Other Bonds and Securities	766,296.64
Real Estate	1,754.91
Cash and Exchange	493,433.28
	\$3,056,614.86

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	82,169.35
Circulating Notes	198,400.00
Deposits	2,526,045.51
	\$3,056,614.86

ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF BEE-KEEPERS ELECT OFFICERS

J. W. Bowen of This City is Named a Vice-president.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 30.—The Illinois association of Bee-keepers before adjournment here today elected the following officers:

President—E. J. Baxter, Nauvoo. Vice-presidents—Aaron Coppin of Winona; A. C. Baxter, Springfield; A. L. Kildow, Putnam; J. W. Bowen, Jacksonville, and Kenneth Hawkins, Plainfield.

Secretary—Jas. A. Stone, Springfield. Treasurer—Chas. Becker, Pleasant Plains.

Resolutions were adopted petitioning the state board of agriculture for a building at the state fair grounds and asking the state superintendent of public instruction to insist that the uses of honey be taught in domestic science courses.

LAST CALL ON LADIES' SUITS; FINAL PRICE REDUCTIONS THIS WEEK. NONE RESERVED. BEAUTIFUL BROADCLOTH, POPLIN, VELVET OR CORDUROY SUIT, SOME FUR TRIMMED AND ALL NEW MODELS; THE \$22.50 SUITS NOW \$12.75; THE \$28.50 SUITS NOW \$16.75, and the \$35.00 SUITS FOR \$19.75. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

FUNERALS

Long.

The funeral of Samuel A. Long was held from the Christian church in Roodhouse Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, in charge of Rev. O. C. Boleman of Pekin, assisted by Rev. W. W. Wharton. Music was furnished by Mrs. H. M. Battershell, Mrs. Virgil Page, Rev. W. W. Wharton, Fred Battershell and Miss Gertrude Briggs, pianist. Members of the Christian church acted as bearers at the church and at the grave members of the Masonic order had charge of the services.

Mr. Long was born in Pike county, 72 years ago and had lived in Roodhouse for more than 40 years. For many years he handled the express business in Roodhouse, and operated the first bus line in Roodhouse, to and from the C. & A. station and West Roodhouse. For several years he was engaged in the Y. M. C. A. work at the railroad institution in Roodhouse. He was a veteran of the Civil war and a member of the Masonic lodge and of the Chapter Royal Arch Masons and of the M. E. church.

He passed away Saturday morning, at the home of his son, Dr. W. Ernest Long, in Pearland, Texas. His wife died 8 years ago. He leaves three sons, George H., Harry and Dr. W. E. Long, all of Pearland, Texas, also two brothers, James and William Long of the state of Washington.

Artz.

Funeral services for Martha Eleanor Artz, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. Edward Artz were held in Ashland Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. F. A. McCarty, assisted by Rev. F. B. Madden. Interment was made in Diamond Grove cemetery, a number of friends of the family meeting the funeral party at the Alton station and going with them to the cemetery.

WITH THE SICK.

George Schmalz was called to Peoria Monday evening by the serious illness of his mother. Her condition is such as to cause grave doubts regarding her recovery.

Mrs. Walter Martin of West Lafayette avenue reported quite sick.

Mrs. R. R. Long who is a patient at Our Savior's hospital is slowly improving.

Miss Iris Cox is doing well after an operation which she underwent at Passavant hospital Tuesday forenoon.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradley on Caldwell street, a daughter.

SPECIAL SALE OF CHILDREN'S, MISSES' AND LADIES' COATS, SPECIALLY PRICED AT HERMAN'S.

THE GRAND TONIGHT.

In presenting "The Only Girl," the new musical comedy at the Grand tonight, Manager Joe Weber promises not only an excellent production and an augmented orchestra, but an exceptional cast as well. There are no stars, in "The Only Girl" company, but it is made up of well known and popular players. Some of those who are to appear in the production are: Edna Munsey, Reginald Richards, Elsie Baird, Janet McWayne, Genevieve Houghton, Leona Stevens, Franklyn Farnum, Russell Simon, Frank Combs, Thomas Burton and Alfred Fisher. In addition there is to be a chorus of pretty girls who will be arrayed in the latest up-to-date flattery.

EXPRESS MANAGER HERE.

H. M. Giddings of Springfield, traveling agent for the American and National express companies was in the city Tuesday on business in connection with the approaching holiday trade. The local office will put on two extra wagons. It was announced by H. R. Goodrick, the manager, last evening. The companies have recently issued an attractive holiday label and preparations for the Christmas business are well toward completion.

Thomas Fromme, a prosperous farmer in the vicinity of Old Berlin, was in the city yesterday. He recently suffered the loss of his fine residence by fire and saved but little of the contents.

VARIED PROGRAM AT FOURTH WARD PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING

Large Company Assembled Last Night for Exercises at Washington Building—Dr. Baker Gave Health Talk.

The Fourth Ward Parent-Teachers' association held a meeting at the Washington school Tuesday night which was especially successful in point of attendance and enthusiasm. The meeting was arranged for night so that the fathers as well as mothers could attend. In the assembly room there were nearly three hundred people, and the program carried out was one of interest and profit. Mrs. W. D. Roberts, president of the association, extended a few words of welcome, and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Owen D. Graff. Then a group of sixth grade boys under the direction of Edward Tomlinson gave a drill including a series of difficult revolutions.

Dr. E. F. Baker was introduced to make a talk on health. His long connection with public health matters and his investigation along these lines qualify him especially for such an address, and he gave various valuable points to his auditors last night. Dr. Baker dwelt especially upon the need of pure water and fresh air if the body is to be kept in condition to battle with the forces of disease. He explained that the reason that some children come into contact with disease and do not contract it is because of their healthy condition and it is nothing but normal good health which gives them immunity. Dr. Baker said that if the average person would give proper attention to securing the necessary sleep, drink plenty of pure water and see to it that both by night and day there was plenty of fresh air, that good health would be the general rule.

After Dr. Baker's address two basketball teams made up of sixth grade boys played an exhibition game with Edward Tomlinson as the referee. The audience had the opportunity of seeing what splendid exercise the game affords and they entered thoroly into the spirit of the contest. Still later came a social hour when sandwiches and coffee were served.

This important part of the program was in charge of Mrs. W. O. Baumgardner, Mrs. H. M. Andre, Mrs. E. A. Hearn, Mrs. L. S. Doane and Mrs. Arthur Henderson. W. W. Schrag made the coffee. Mrs. White, principal of the fourth ward school, George S. Rogerson, member of the board of education, from the ward, and the various teachers in the building constituted an informal committee of reception. In every way the occasion was pleasant and no doubt served to increase the interest of parents in their school and made closer the relationship with school teachers and officers.

MR. J. HERMAN JUST ARRIVED HOME FROM CHICAGO AND HAS MADE A LARGE PURCHASE OF OVER 150 COATS IN ALL THE DESIRABLE CLOTHS, INCLUDING VELVET AND SEAL PLUSH, ALSO PLAIN AND STRIPE SILK WAISTS. THESE GARMENTS ARE NOW ON SALE VERY REASONABLY PRICED.

ANNUAL BAPTIST SUPPER.

Ladies' Sewing Society Hostesses to Large Number—Sum of \$87 Cleared.

With chicken and side dishes in great abundance, prompt and willing service on every hand and attendance which seemed the largest in many years, the annual chicken supper at First Baptist church, given by members of the Ladies' Sewing society, scored a pleasing success and netted a sum of \$87. Mrs. L. C. Coleman, president of the society, and Mrs. S. W. Ingalls were in general charge. Following are the committees:

Kitchen—Mr. and Mrs. James Steut, Miss Mary Laurie, Mrs. J. K. Long, Mrs. Eunice Goltra, Mrs. Jerry Cox, Mrs. J. T. Ellis and Mrs. Sarah Boyce.

Coffee—Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Richardson. Serving room—Mrs. Hawes Yates, Mrs. John R. Hill, Mrs. Eli Crawford, Mrs. May Wood and Miss Emma Hayden.

Apron table—Mrs. McConnell, Mrs. R. C. Henley, Mrs. S. T. Anderson and Miss Mary French.

Candy table—Miss Mabel Goltra and Miss Irene Smith.

Miss Nettie Hayden was in charge of the dining room, with Mrs. Elizabeth Stebbins and Mrs. William Newman, hostesses and Misses Bess and May-Louise Newman, waitresses, at the first table and the table hostesses as follows: Mrs. J. W. Chipchase and Mrs. George Hocking, Mrs. O. N. Barr and Mrs. Mary Springer, Miss Laura Hayden and Mrs. Dennis Schram, Mrs. W. T. Spiros and Mrs. C. H. Story, Mrs. William Johns and Mrs. G. T. Wiswell, Mrs. Roach and Mrs. George F. Stoldt. The following young women of the church served: Misses Louise Wood, Eva Breitwiser, Edith Williamson, Hallie Withee, Marie Wiswell, Irene Cox, Helen Shreve, Bea Ellis, Veda Radford, Mary Clampt, Elizabeth Barr, Elsie Reed, Norma Dawson, Helen Jackson, Helen Obermeyer, Louise Strandberg, Miss Rabjohn and Mrs. Hart.

ATTENTION, EAGLES! Election of officers tonight. Full attendance requested. Geo. W. Davis, W. P. Fred Doht, Sec.

HEPBURN IMPROVES SLIGHTLY. Clarinda, Iola, Nov. 30.—A slight improvement in the condition of William P. Hepburn, former congressman, who is seriously ill at his home here, was reported by his physician tonight.

NOVEMBER SALE OF SUITS



This November Sale is one for which many women watch annually. It fits right into our plan of keeping our stock of garments fresh, and to dispose of those that have overstayed their limit. Special prices on values up to \$27.50—While they last at.....\$10, \$12.50, \$13.50, \$16.50 and \$22.50

An Extraordinary Showing of Women's Coats

It is seldom at the height of the season that we are able to offer such a remarkable lot of women's coats, but we have been receiving many of the very latest models, suitable for all occasions and general wear. Call and see them. Splendid values at.....\$10, \$16.50 and \$25.00

FLEXO

A Full Flare Fitted Top Petticoat for 98c

Think of It!

A fitted top petticoat, made of the finest quality of mercerized messaline at 98c! They are actually worth \$1.50. Cut on generous lines, to be worn with the new wide skirts, so much in demand just now. Set snugly around the hips without a wrinkle. In black, navy brown and green.

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RINGWALT'S NEW PROCESS LINOLEUM

Lightens the labor of housework. It is sanitary, bright, cheerful and attractive. A minute with the mop and the floor is clean.

Ringwalt's Linoleum

is not only good for the kitchen, but for the entire house. Notice the piece of Ringwalt's 65c grade that has covered the outside entrance to our store, out in sun and rain, and has received more wear in the TWELVE MONTHS it has been down than a lifetime in your home.

A number of beautiful patterns to select from.

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DRY GOODS STORE.

We Take Great Pleasure in Announcing that we Have Secured the Exclusive Sale of

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Miss Fannie Grassly

There will be a variety of useful things, all suitable for gifts. Many new things, including some quaint Japanese conceits. Miss Grassly is known as one of our most artistic workers. These goods, made at home, are also a great deal cheaper than the same thing would be in the city. Be sure to see these novelties, as the quantity is limited. Each gift has an individuality about it that is pleasing. We all like something different, so this is your chance. An early inspection will please you and help you to satisfactory Christmas buying.

We Give 2c Green Stamps on All Cash Purchases.

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

Our Stock of Wonderful Gifts

is now open for your inspection. There are gifts for Father, Mother, Sister or Brother, Husband, Wife, Sweetheart or friends. Fancy goods, toilet goods, articles of utility, necessities, and luxuries. They are all fresh, they're all new, they're all 1915 stock, they're all here, they're all ready, they're all salable at the lowest prices. Come and see these goods immediately. Let us help you make out your Christmas gift list.

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With every Pennsylvania Oil-Proof Vacuum Cup Casing we give free an extra heavy red inner tube to fit casing.

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For This Week

Loose Rolled Oats, per lb.	5c
Good Head Rice, 4 lbs.	25c
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Prunes, per lb.	10c
Large can Salmon	10c
Baked Beans in tomato sauce, 3 cans	25c
Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, 3 cans	25c
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Sauerkraut, per gal	25c
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BURLINGTON FIREMAN MEETS DEATH AT CENTRALIA

Fred Henry of Beardstown Knocked Beneath Wheels and Caught by Brake Beam.

Fred Henry of Beardstown, a fireman on the Beardstown-Centralia division of the Burlington railroad, was almost instantly killed Tuesday afternoon when he was run over by a string of cars being handled by a switch engine in the Centralia yards.

Engineer Guthrie and Mr. Henry were working on their engine preparatory to starting on a run when the accident occurred. The men were working on the grades and the fireman was standing back of the engine, just close enough to the next track so as to be in the path of any train that might approach. The switch engine was pushing a string of cars onto this track and came up so quickly that neither of the men heard them until they were quite close, and then the engineer shouted a warning to the fireman. When Henry straightened up to see what the trouble was, the first car struck him and knocked him between the rails. Seeing that he could not escape until the train was stopped Henry flattened himself out on the ground parallel to the rails.

As soon as he saw the fireman fall Engineer Guthrie hurriedly climbed into his engine and signalled to the switch engine to stop. He succeeded in attracting the attention of the crew and gave them a stop signal from the top of his locomotive. When the cars were finally stopped it was found that a brake beam of the fifth or sixth car that passed over him had caught Henry's clothing and turned him around under the car, so that one leg and one arm were cut off and a large hole was cut in his head. The man was dead by the time they reached him.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK
SAVINGS DEPOSITS made during the first ten days of December will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

TELEPHONE CONSOLIDATION.
One telephone exchange, and that an entirely new one from top to bottom, but operated by girls and men, instead of by automatic equipment, will be the outcome of a decision handed down in Chicago Monday morning by the United States court. That decision was an approval of the petition of receivers of the Central Union Telephone company for permission to buy the plant and business of the Decatur and Macon County Telephone company.

ROOFING.
See the Norleigh Diamond Roofing, \$1.50 to \$2.50 per Square.
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MISSION STUDY GRADUATION EXERCISES PLANNED

"Spell Down" Will Be Feature—Dr. C. N. Bowyer Will Make Address.

Graduation exercises for the mission study campaign which for six weeks past has met each Wednesday evening at First Baptist church, will be held Wednesday evening, Dec. 8, at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting feature of the event will be two "spell-downs" led by Prof. Tanner, the dean. Musical numbers are being arranged and a special address will be given by Dr. C. N. Bowyer of Central Baptist church, Springfield. The closing session of the campaign will be held this evening at 7:15.

Two hundred and seventy have been enrolled for the six weeks study course and each has found great profit in perusal of present day missionary activities and their relation to the life of the church. Rev. Mr. Stephens has served as president, and Prof. R. H. Tanner as dean of the campaign, with Miss Bess Newman as secretary and Miss Elizabeth Long as treasurer. The teachers were Rev. Mr. Stephens, Carl H. Weber, Charles H. Story, Jesse Hastings, L. B. Turner, Miss Carrie Spires, Miss Nettie Hayden, Miss Mable Goltz, Miss Massey, Mrs. A. B. Williamson, Mrs. Mary Hart, Miss Anna Long and Mrs. P. W. Stephens.

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BENNETT & CO. IN NEW QUARTERS

James E. Bennett & Co., whose grain and commission office has for several years past been located in rooms 503-4 Ayers Bank building, under management of Greenleaf & Co., have leased the front rooms on the fifth floor and will soon be ready to remove to larger and more convenient quarters. They will occupy four rooms instead of three and the new quarters being prepared for them by Mr. McVicar, the manager of the building, will be up to date in every way.

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FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN FOR MRS. HARRY ALLEN

Winchester Lodge Honors Member Who Is Soon to Leave for Michigan—Other Scott County News.

The Order of Eastern Star gave a farewell party Tuesday evening in the Masonic hall, in honor of Mrs. Harry Allen who will leave Winchester shortly for her new home in Kalamazoo, Mich. The Eastern Star is noted for its delightful social affairs and this one was no exception.

Mrs. John Dugan and daughter, Jennie, returned Tuesday from a visit in Mercedosia with Mrs. John Summers.

The report of the death of one of the twins born to Mr. and Mrs. John Evans was erroneous. Both babies are living and doing nicely.

Mrs. Elmer McCullough and Miss Minnie Coultas of Riggston were Tuesday visitors in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralla Borum of Muskogee, Okla., who have been visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peak, in the vicinity, are now guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nelson.

Mrs. Edward Baisley and Miss Lucille North were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

Ladies of State Street church are fully prepared for their bazar and market to be held in church parlors Thursday, Dec. 2, beginning at noon; a cafeteria lunch will be served.

WABASH SEEKS HALF PAY FOR WATCHMAN

W. B. Miser, superintendent of the Jacksonville Railway & Light company has received a bill from the Wabash railroad for \$1,900. It is said the Wabash seeks to obtain half the pay for a number of years of the Wabash watchman, stationed at the North Main street crossing. Neither Mr. Miser or the Wabash agent would discuss the subject last night.

Bazar and market at Westminster Church Tuesday, Dec. 7.

SELLS BANKRUPT STOCK.

The bankrupt stock formerly owned by George Sargent and Son on East State street, was sold Tuesday by C. C. Barryman, special trustee in bankruptcy, to J. D. DeFreitas. The proceeds amounted to about 30 per cent of the appraised valuation. The store fixtures were purchased by William Switzer and W. D. Richards. Jerry Cox acted as auctioneer. Mr. DeFreitas is contemplating starting in the grocery business.

Bazar and market at Westminster Church Tuesday, Dec. 7.

Mrs. J. G. Pearn and Miss Helen Rearick were down yesterday from Ashland attending the funeral of the little child of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Artz.

MEETS INSTANT DEATH BENEATH CAR WHEELS

Roy Gibson of Roodhouse an Employee of the Alton Falls from Train near Nebo.

Roy Gibson of Roodhouse, who is employed by the Chicago & Alton, as brakeman, met instant death Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock near Nebo. He was working on freight train 127 west bound. He had jumped off the engine at Nebo to get clearance orders from the agent and caught his train again several cars back. As he was carrying his orders on top of the cars to the engine in some unknown manner, he fell and his body was found a short time afterward when he was missed by the train crew. The train was stopped and the remains were picked up and taken to his home in Roodhouse on the afternoon passenger train.

It is only a conjecture as to just how he met death, as no one saw the accident. It is said that Roy Baker, the conductor, was the first to notice that he was missing. Mr. Gibson was thirty years of age and was born and reared in the Roodhouse neighborhood. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. S. Gibson. His father is a veteran employee of the Alton and for a great many years was a passenger conductor between Roodhouse and Kansas City. His father had but recently returned from Oak Lawn sanatorium, where he had been taking treatment for rheumatism. The young man some three years ago had been employed by the Alton as a fireman but only three months ago had he resumed his connection with the company. He was a young man well liked by all who knew him, and was a great baseball player. One of his sisters was in the Alton depot waiting to take the train to Jacksonville when the news came to her of her brother's death.

Besides his parents he is survived by two brothers, Alvin and Robert, of Roodhouse, and two sisters, Mrs. Glenn Flowerree of Roodhouse, and Mrs. Calvin Vanderhagen, of White Hall. The coroner of Pike county held an inquest with a verdict according to the above facts. The time of the funeral has not been arranged.

MR. J. HERMAN JUST ARRIVED HOME FROM CHICAGO AND HAS MADE A LARGE PURCHASE OF OVER 150 COATS IN ALL THE DESIRABLE CLOTHS, INCLUDING VELVET AND SEAL PLESH, ALSO PLaid AND STRIPE SILK WAISTS. THESE GARMENTS ARE NOW ON SALE VERY REASONABLY PRICED.

TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT.

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We do not need to appeal to the men—they know us.

But we want the ladies to know us just as well and to feel sure that in our store they'll find the kind of gifts they're seeking and the kind of service that makes Christmas buying easy.

So for the convenience of both the ladies and the men we provide this list of useful, appropriate and practical men's gifts, gifts that every man will greet with the spirit of sincere appreciation that is so much desired.

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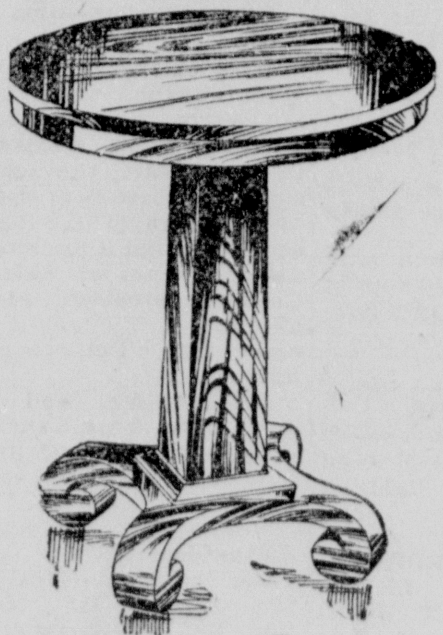
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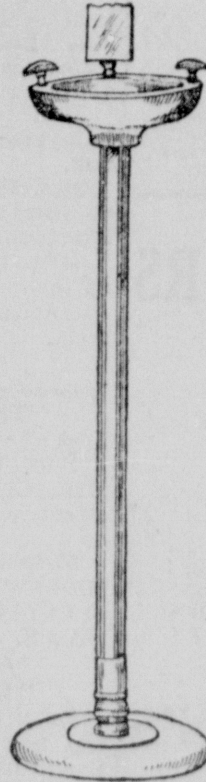
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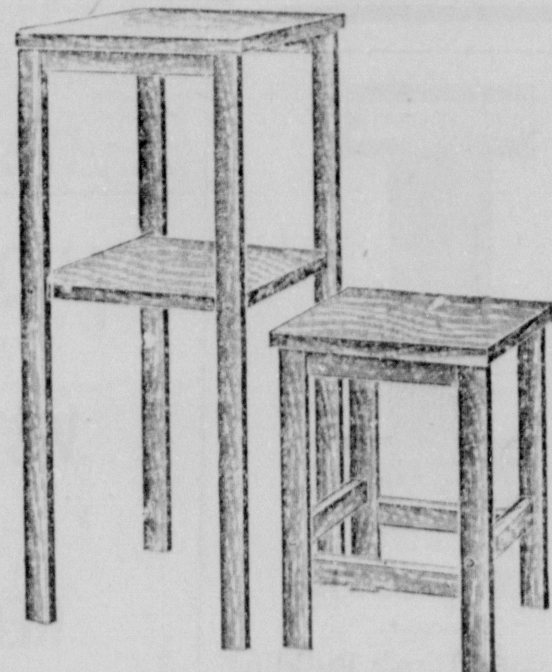
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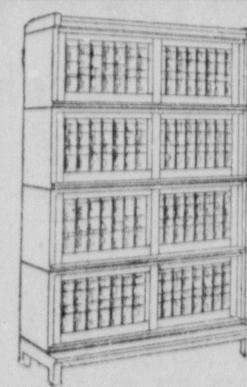
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